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Among the various articles suitable for presents at this season, the following may be mentioned:
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STERLING SILVERWARE,
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1 Nine-inch spirit compass.
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6 Boat foghorns.
Cabin furniture, cooking utensils, sundry carpenter's tools, etc.
Separate tenders for the purchase of the above Schooner and the outfit will be received by the "Pacific Sealing Co. Ltd.," at their office No. 7 Store Street, Victoria, B. C., until
12 m. December 20th, 1892.
N. B.—The Schooner has just been hauled out and given 2 coats copper paint, also deck recaulked.
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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

REQUISITION.

VICTORIA, B. C., December 29, 1892.

Wm. Dalby, Esq., Victoria, B. C.

DEAR SIR,—We, the undersigned electors of the City of Victoria, most respectfully request you to allow your name to be put for nomination for the office of Mayor at the forthcoming election. We promise to use our best endeavors to procure your election, and trust you will favourably consider our requisition.

Yours faithfully,

Thos Shaw,	Mary Shaw,
Geo Penketh,	Thos Gough,
O Richards,	Wm Murray,
John Devereux,	Anthony Watson,
James McArthur,	M. McCahill.
J Madden,	A Garland,
W F Bullen,	D Russell,
John Grant,	D M Carley,
B Carter,	T M Graham,
F Hales,	Thos Geiger,
Alex Cameron,	Daniel Morrison,
S Jones,	J Haggerty,
F W Strong,	Wm Heater.
Aubray Crane,	George Crocker,
John Begg,	George Crossman,
Jos Clearihue,	Alex Clearihue,
John Wenger,	John Watt,
D J McDonald	Richard W Roper,
A Williams,	N C Messiers,
R Merritt,	John Henry,
Henry Norman,	Henry Siepmann,
John D B Williams,	Robt McRury,
D Butt,	F Cole,
M Pike,	H Disher,
Jessie Stamford,	William Jones,
W A Sprinkling,	J M Douglas,
James O'Neill,	James Brookes,
John Vaio,	F Carne, sr,
Sidney Shore,	Geo W Miles,
W J Smith,	E Pearson,
Lewis Lewis,	Geo A Cooper,
R F Tolmie,	W S Chambers,
J E Crane,	M R Smith,
G L Simpson,	J Porter,
Jno Geo Elliott,	D R Young,
Henry Clay,	John Jollich,
J H Nicholson,	Peter Hansen,
H Courtney,	J Phœnix,
Jas Hilliard	D Lindsay,
John Barnett,	William Turpel,
E J Guy,	Edward Trask,
Joseph Carpenter,	Thos B Hall,
T Schoen,	Noel Ledrer,
Chas Russell,	
H C Lucas,	D McFadden,
Joseph Levy,	Geo E Munro,
A A Aaronson,	A Whetstone,
R Morrison, M D,	George Rudge,
H Nicholson,	S L Kelly,
John R Ball,	J Blamford,
John Piercy,	Joshua Davies.
G C Shaw,	J A Kenning,
E C Holden,	A McKeown,
S Harris,	Joseph Sears,
Simeon Duck,	Johns Bros,
G Bossi,	Cyrus H Bowes,
Henry Croft,	L Moser,
J Seryier,	C H Leonhardt,
D R Ker,	C Pennock,
D Johnson,	J H Gaerdes,
C J King,	C Steers,
W H Snider,	E Brandson,
C Williams,	John Sayyea,
W A Robertson,	John Brerdfgod,
Thos Elliott,	H. Thorsteinson,
H D Helmcken,	Oliver Johnson,
D Stewart,	H Eirikson,
D D Graham,	O Semundson,
Anna Graham,	E Brynjvesson,
S Myrdal,	W H Spofford,
Paul Thorsteinson,	W J Clark,
James Samuelson,	J Jackman,
Goodman Samuelson,	F Gilchrist,
A R Sherk,	Christian Sivertz,
E Pannell,	R Sinclair,
Alex McDonald,	Wm Batchelor,
M Lepine,	G Mesher,
E J Wall,	C J Blake,
T Haughton,	J F Noel,
C McGregor Taylor,	C Taylor,
W Taylor,	Mrs E Taylor
H Hodgson,	W C Winsby,
W F Fullerton,	O Brown,
Charles Farrend,	Jas Hay,
Fred Weldon,	H Warner,
Robert Jamieson,	John Smith,
H S Fairall,	Mrs Fairall,
J Lismore,	Alex Watson, jr,
Mrs Watson,	H Burnon,
F Brown,	Porter Brown,
W Watt,	Martin J Dodd,
Peter Hanson,	W White,
T S Trous,	A C McDonald,
Mrs E Martin	John Oliver,
John Doran,	H W Walker,
G C Gerow,	C N Kirk,
Beer Brothers,	J R Mackenzie
John Fullerton,	W E Auld,
S L Chamberlin,	William Croft,
D McNaughton,	A Maxwell Muir,
L Willie,	John Robertson,
A Bechtel,	E J Salmon,
Jas Crawford,	James Hood,
Cornelius J Soule,	H A Lilly,
James Munger,	N Sablin,
L G Hill,	M Morrissey,
George McRae,	Watson Clark,
R Chapman,	E Coles,
W B C Mewburn,	E Garde,
J Martin,	F Besford,
A Ohlson,	George Powers,
William Frost,	J Perry,
Herrmann Sorge,	T B Pearson,
W D McGregor,	C Baker,
W E Regan,	A G Tait,
A S Fraser,	Robt Mason,
A McLarty,	C S Pearson,
E P Picken,	G E Milloy,
Chas Campbell,	Elizabeth Hand,
George W Robinson,	D A Mickle,
Angus McInnes,	Archie McInnes,
James Walker,	B H West,
John Colbert,	Chas M Page,
R Seabrook,	R J Ker,
R Ross Monro,	H J Martin,
F A Cuthbert,	J E Church,
P E Mylius,	A J Jackson,
J W Keller,	Max Heap,
J H Warner,	Arthur Butcher,
F Campbell,	W J Jeffree,
W M Dean,	Robt Hamilton,

NOTE—Several requisition sheets not coming to hand in time for this issue, will be added as they come in.

VICTORIA, B. C., Dec. 29th, 1892.

GENTLEMEN,—I am in receipt of your very numerously signed requisition, placed in my hands this evening, asking me to allow my name to be put in nomination for the Mayoralty. If you gentlemen think my services would be of benefit to the city in general, I place myself in your hands in accepting it, and can only say that should you do me the honor of electing me, I will do my best to advance the interests and prosperity of the city, to the best of my ability.

I am in favor of the fostering and encouragement of all industrial and manufacturing enterprises; the assistance of legitimate public works; the improvement and extension of the city water works which, I may add, I had the honor of seeing constructed during my former tenure of office; the permanent improvement of our streets and sidewalks, and the extension of the lighting of the city, thereby placing Victoria in the forefront as a commercial centre and healthy residential city as by nature intended.

Regretting that through urgent business, I have to leave the city for a few days, which will prevent my calling upon you personally, and hoping that on my return I shall have the pleasure of meeting the ratepayers and explaining my views on all matters connected with civic affairs, I remain,

Yours truly,
jan3 WM. DALBY.

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FRENCH LANGUAGE.
Mr. F. CONSTANT, teacher of the Ingres and Coutellier, schools of languages, continues to give personal instruction in French, by his easy, practical method, saving months of study. "Unique" method of acquiring foreign languages, here students have not the opportunity to practise. Persons desirous of taking lessons will please communicate at once with Mr. F. Constant, 86½ Douglas street. jan3 1w

REMOVAL.
DR. METHERELL
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The Holidays are Over,
And the Christmas dinner will be cherished in memory until next Christmas banishes it from recollection. Those who deal with Saunders, the grocer, 39 and 41 Johnson street, have
Holiday Fare All The Year Round—
They live like princes and save money at the same time, for Saunders' motto is:
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CANADIAN NEWS.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

United States Retaliation.

OTTAWA, Jan. 1.—Hon. Mackenzie Bowell, speaking of the report from Washington City that President Harrison had decided to strike a last blow at Canada by abolishing the bonding privileges now enjoyed by Canadian railroads, said the threat had come so often that the Canadians were prepared for it. There is no disputing the fact, he said, that the abolition of such privileges would be a serious blow to Canadian trade, but unless Canada would submit willingly to every one-sided arrangement, the blow would operate both ways.

Elected by Acclamation.

LONGUEIL, Jan 1.—Hon. Taillon, Conservative, Quebec's new premier, was yesterday elected to the legislature by acclamation.

Their Own Concern.

MONTREAL, Jan. 2.—The grand council of the Catholic Mutual Benevolent Association for Quebec has been formed here. Grand President Fraser of the Canadian grand council claims that the Quebec council is illegal and the matter is likely to come before the courts.

THE FIRST OF THE KIND.

La Revue Canadienne Threatens to Sue Archbishop Fabre For Placing It Under the Ban.

MONTREAL, Jan. 2.—The much talked of notarial protest by the proprietors of La Revue Canadienne has been served upon Archbishop Fabre. The document, which is one of considerable length, is the first of the kind ever served upon a Roman Catholic prelate in the province. The protest sets forth the object of La Revue Canadienne. It denies that anything against the religion or the treachery of the church had ever been published in its columns and asks that the ecclesiastical censure be revoked, or at least that the proprietors of the condemned journal be made aware of the alleged objectionable article that had been displeasing to His Grace. The protest goes on to say that the Archbishop will be given 15 days to consider the matter, and if nothing is done at the end of that time an action in the civil courts will follow.

Heretic Briggs.

NEW YORK, Jan. 1.—J. J. McCook, prosecuting attorney in the Briggs case, said that "the vote does not contain a decision, though it insures a decision favorable to Dr. Briggs. As soon as we get the decision the presbytery, through the committee, will meet and decide upon what course we shall pursue."

The Boy, the Mother and the Stocking.
As a result of our study of the above classical subject we have now in stock three special lines of extra strong wool hose for boys; with 6, 8 and 10 fold knees and 6 fold ankles. Contrary to a reasonable supposition these cost no more than ordinary knit hose.
WM. WILSON & Co., City House.

Go to Morris', Colonist block, for pipes and cigar holders for Christmas presents. *

NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

Drowning of a Well-Known Real Estate Agent After a Hard Struggle.

County Court Statistics—Review of the Year's Business at Plumper's Pass.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

VANCOUVER.

VANCOUVER, Jan. 2.—During the year ending December 31st, 1892, 784 plaints and 184 garnishee summonses were entered in county court as against 488 plaints and 46 garnishee summonses during 1891.

Mr. G. G. McKay died at 4 o'clock on New Year's morning of heart failure. Mr. McKay returned from Vernon on December 21st, much improved from an attack of illness which had lasted some weeks. His sudden dissolution was, therefore, unexpected. The deceased was 67 years old and leaves a wife and grown up family. He came here from Inverloy, Scotland, in 1888, and has since then taken a very active part in building up the Province, and making known British Columbia's resources. He was president and organizer of the Oriental Traders Co. Was among the first to open up the Okanagan country and the founder of the Okanagan Land and Development Co, of which he was president. The deceased was instrumental in interesting the Earl of Aberdeen in this country and for the past four years acted as that nobleman's agent. He organized the Capilano Park Co., and was president of the Burrard Inlet Railroad and Ferry Co. He has served as park commissioner, was an active member of the Board of Trade and Fruit Growers' Association and president of the St. Andrew's Society in 1891. The funeral takes place on Tuesday at 2 p. m.

The Citizens committee have held ward meetings in Wards 2, 3 and 4. Mr. Wm. Brown was supported for mayor in all of them. In Ward 2, for aldermen, the nominees are: Ald. Collins and Chas. Queen. Ward 3: Wm. Templeton. Ward 4: John McDowell and Geo. Hobson, who were endorsed at the general meeting at midnight with demonstrations of pleasure.

E. A. Brown, a well-known real estate man, met his death by drowning on Saturday night. The deceased and Mr. McCain, contractor, in a desire to visit the wreck of the Beaver, attempted to make the narrows in a small boat, and the night being very dark, the boat upset with a fatal result. Mr. McCain did not make his appearance till noon on Sunday, when he wrote the following duly signed declaration which he handed to the police: "I, Charles H. McCain, voluntarily make the following declaration concerning the death of E. A. Brown. Last night, about ten minutes to 8 o'clock, E. A. Brown and I took a boat from Andy Linton's boathouse with the intention of going to the wreck of the steamship Beaver. We had been out before several times. We arrived opposite the wreck at about 8 30 o'clock. The tide was running out strong at the time. As we brought the boat to to make the wreck Mr. Brown, who was rowing the stroke oar, caught his left oar in the surf which threw the handle against his breast, throwing him partly on his back to the left side of the boat. In an instant the boat filled with water and turned over. Just as we were going under I told him to hang on to the boat. We had in the boat crowbars, sledge, axe, etc., and these, together with the under-current, caused the boat to sink very rapidly. It was some time before we came to the surface, Mr. Brown was standing on the bottom of the boat at the time. We just had time to catch our breath as the boat went down again. It was some time before it came to the surface again, and when it did Mr. Brown had lost his hold and was carried by the eddy about twenty feet from me. He shouted back to me and asked me if I had the boat. After that the only words I could make out were "Oh, my! Oh, my!" An eddy then caught the boat, and I was submerged several times in quick succession, shouting and calling to Mr. Brown when I had a chance, but without receiving any answer. I then turned the boat on her keel, and found inside an oar which was still clinging to one of the rowlocks. This I used to paddle towards the shore, crying all the time for help. The dogs on the north beach started howling, and I thought I heard voices; but the tide, which was running very fast at the time, soon carried me beyond hearing out into the gulf, but I managed with the assistance of my oar to reach shore at a small point about half a mile below John Thomas'. Tying the boat to the rock, I made my way back, and arrived at Mr. Thomas' about 9:30 o'clock, hardly realizing what had happened, so completely exausted was I. After this I retired for the evening, the family staying up all night to dry my clothes. This morning about 8 o'clock a boy went down and brought the boat up to the house. This was after we had had breakfast, when Mr. Thomas provided me with another oar and I started for Vancouver, arriving here about 11 a.m.

PLUMPER'S PASS.

PLUMPER'S PASS, Jan. 2.—Christmastide with all its festivities and enjoyments is over, and greetings once exchanged are now memorials of the past. The holidays have been observed in regular custom and to a greater or less extent the customary amusements have been indulged in. The two events of the week were, a soiree given in the hall on Monday evening, the occasion of Mrs. Robson's birthday, when invitations were extended to everybody, and a gathering of friends at Mrs. Bennett's on New Year's Eve to witness the departure of the old year and to welcome in the new. Both evenings were delightfully spent, and are pleasant reminiscences of a thorough Christmas enjoyment for 1892.

A fine turkey raised by Mrs. Deacon, which, when dressed, weighed 22 pounds, is also the memory of a pleasant New Year's dinner.

Mr. Green, of the Tumbo Island Coal Co., came up on the American Revenue Cutter Wolcott one day last week on a flying visit to the mines. The tug Mystery also brought up a party of men the week previous who are being employed in the excavations. The little steamer Eliza, which has been running in the service of this company, will be sent to Victoria this week to be supplied with a new boiler and other machinery.

A scow load of lumber has arrived for Mr. J. Seabrook, who intends building a new house in close proximity to the old one. Lumber has also arrived for Mr. W. H. Mawdsley, who is erecting a dwelling house on the land which he has lately preempted.

A general meeting of the Plumper's Pass Rifle Association is called for Saturday afternoon next, the 7th inst., in the Robson Hall, the agenda being the formation of a committee and to dispose of other necessary business.

Mrs. Mills and family, who have been spending their Christmas here, returned to their home at Saanich on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Harris, of Ladner's Landing, are visiting here for the Christmas holidays.

Many took advantage of the opportunities afforded them to spend their Christmas with friends in Victoria, among them being J. Seabrook and W. Cook, of Mayne island, J. Aucterlonie and Mrs. Grimmer, of Pender island.

Major Peters, of Victoria, came up on Wednesday, to spend a few days on Prevost island.

Talk of the week—The approaching entertainment on Galiano island Monday evening; Who took the grey horse out of the stables on New Year's eve? and Who will be the next school teacher?

A glance at the doings of the past year is of a satisfactory character and ought not to pass by unnoticed. Energy and perseverance have shown themselves in various forms, and the number of new buildings which have been erected, with the additional clearings of land, is an ample indication of a forward tendency. Though not possessed of any industrial institutions, an important resource is found in fruit-growing, which for the past three years has been steadily increasing, and now forms one of the principal channels for the employment of labor and capital. The apple is among the leading fruit, and the crop is easily disposed of, the supply not being equal to the demand. The new stone quarry on Saturna Island, which was worked only in the beginning of last summer in the interests of Messrs. Hooson Brothers, also gives employment to a number of men. The stone is of excellent quality, being a soft brown sandstone, well adapted for building or ornamental purposes. Contractors from Westminster who have seen it are highly pleased, and say it is equal to the Chuckinut or any other of its kind. Many buildings in Victoria and Westminster are of this stone, and so confident are quarrymen that a big demand will be made for it this coming season that another quarry is being opened up in the vicinity by Mr. G. G. Taylor, who is making preparations for a big summer's output.

The Tumbo Island Coal Co. also comes in for a share of attention. Messrs. Green and Watelet, the owners, are now doing their best to hasten forward the development of this shaft, and the contract to sink it a further 200 feet has been given to a Victoria firm of contractors, who are busy with the work. Should this enterprise, which has been regarded as very promising, proves equal to expectations, transportation facilities as well as further explorations will have a marked effect upon the future of these islands which cannot but derive material benefit.

The past year has been a most successful one both as regards agriculture and labor; but better times are yet in store. Already the Point Comfort Hotel Co's scheme has received much attention, and work on it will commence next month. This enterprise will extend its benefits in various directions, and will also specially promote the prosperity and future progress of the place.

The new fog alarm, to be built shortly, will also enliven matters, and a new church which is contemplated, will add to the attractions of the Pass. A subdivision into small blocks of the land lying around the shore near the wharf, would tend to increase the population, and the town being midway between the two cities of Victoria and Westminster and in the direct course of the lines of steamships, it is certain to be only a matter of time before the tide of actual progression sets in. To use the words of a well-known M. P. P., the Pass will soon become the most important centre along the route between those two towns.

OPENING OF THE CORTES.

King Carlos Promises Electoral Reform, Economy and Other Good Measures.

LISBON, Jan. 2.—King Carlos to-day opened in person the session of the Cortes. The speech from the throne promised that the Government would submit bills providing for an electoral reform measure, to remedy the deficit in the country's production of cereals and to increase her export trade in wine, and measures for reform in the public services. The royal speech announced that negotiations were pending to reduce the interest on the floating debt and to strengthen Portugal's national credit, but as these measures alone would not suffice to restore the economic and financial life of the country to a solid basis, the Government would also submit a proposal for the final solution of the external debt question and would provide means for an increase of revenue.

EGYPTIAN DERVISHES.

They are Displaying Renewed Activity Near Wady Halfa, but are Routed by Villagers.

CAIRO, Jan. 2.—The Dervishes in Southern Egypt are displaying renewed activity. On Saturday a large party of them attacked the village of Gamai, near Wady Halfa, but were repulsed after a fierce fight in which several of them were killed. Before they could be driven off, however, they had cut a number of telegraph wires and done other mischief. On Sunday a second attack was made on Gamai, but the raiders were again driven off after a number of them had been killed. The second attack on the village was made by a different band of Dervishes from that driven off on Saturday.

Xmas goods delivered free to any part of the city the day before Christmas, or when required, by Weiler Bros.

Something Good.
Fine presents in ladies' companions, scissor cases, gents' razor cases and shaving outfits, all Sheffield goods, at Fox's, 78 Government St.

Go to Morris', Colonist block, for pipes and cigar holders for Christmas presents. *

CABLE NEWS.

The Duke of York Promoted to a Naval Captaincy—Gladstone's Thanks.

Intense Cold in Europe—Cholera in France—Unusual Festivities at Osborne Castle.

Royal New Year Gaiety.

LONDON, Jan. 2.—There is phenomenal New Year's gaiety at Osborne this evening. All the children of the royal family are present. A concert will be given by a military band early in the evening, and later the Duke and Duchess of Connaught, the Princess Louise and the Marquis of Lorne, and several others will give tableaux vivants. The Duke of York has been promoted to a captaincy in the navy.

Gladstone's Acknowledgments.

LONDON, Jan. 2.—Rt. Hon. Mr. Gladstone has sent out word expressing his gratitude to his friends throughout the world who sent him congratulatory letters and telegrams on his birthday. He regrets, he says, that the largeness of the number of these friends renders it impossible to acknowledge each through individual letters.

Loubet Calls It Prudery.

MARSEILLES, Jan. 2.—La Petite Marseillaise publishes an interview with M. Loubet as to the attitude of the Chamber toward the Panama scandal. M. Loubet says that the Chamber rushed headlong, without consideration or preparation, into the Panama inquiry. The deputies seemed suddenly to have lost their senses and they outdid each other in over-zealousness and reckless accusation. Doubtless the scandal was bad enough; but the bad judgment of the chamber had fostered erroneous conceptions among the people of its magnitude. Such an excessive outburst of prudery must have its reaction and thus defeat many of its own ends. The most extravagant hopes had been raised among the disloyal parties by the recklessness shown in the chamber, and the whole fabric of Republican institutions in France had been endangered. Unless great care and tact were exercised constantly in the next few weeks, the men who had behaved so shamefully might have startling proof of the errors into which they had fallen and caused others to fall. Every effort must be made to wind up the whole Panama affair before next March, in order that arrangements in connection with the state debt might be strictly fulfilled.

New Apostolic Vicariat.

ROME, Jan. 2.—The Pope has founded an apostolic vicariat in British Honduras, and has appointed Mgr. S. die Pietro to the office.

A Cardinal Dying.

PARIS, Jan. 2.—Charles Phillip Place, cardinal priest and archbishop of Rennes, is dying in Rennes.

The Queen's Health Omitted.

LIMERICK, Jan. 2.—The mayor of the city gave a banquet this evening to the Parnellite and anti-Parnellite priests. The principal toast of the evening was "Ireland, a nation." All the customary toasts to the Queen were omitted.

More Cholera.

LONDON, Jan. 3.—The Standard's Paris correspondent says that four fresh cases of cholera were reported to-day in Dunkirk.

Intense Cold in Europe.

BERLIN, Jan. 2.—The cold is severe and increasing throughout the continent. To-night the termometer stands but eleven degrees above zero, Fahrenheit, in this city. A heavy snow is falling in the Hartz mountains, and suspension of traffic is threatened on several railways. All the lakes in France, Germany and Austria are frozen up.

COURTESY NOT BULLYING.

If Canada Has Violated the Interstate Commerce Law Let the U. S. Take Action.

TORONTO, Jan. 2.—A dispatch dated Washington, which was received here on Saturday, states in effect that President Harrison has determined to make the end of his administration notable by a blow at Canada in the shape of a Presidential proclamation, curtailing or abolishing the privileges now enjoyed by Canadian railways of transporting goods through the United States in bond. It has excited considerable comment here. The Globe in dealing with the matter says: "If there is a substantial ground of complaint against the Canadian roads, it consists not in the amount of their earnings nor in the vastness of the subsidies; but in the fact, if it be a fact, in regard to American traffic, that the Canadian companies are not complying with the inter-state commerce law. They have declared expressly that they regard themselves as bound by that law, and are ready to obey it. If, notwithstanding that avowal they are disregarding or evading it, there is surely some more businesslike and dignified way of dealing with the question than these everlasting scoldings and the dark hints of blows at Canada. If the law is not properly enforced, let the American authorities charged with its enforcement do their duty. If any amendment is requisite, as the Interstate Commissioners say, why does not Congress make it? It is alleged that the difficulty of enforcement arises from the Treaty of Washington or from the Canadian railway law. Why is not that matter brought before the notice of Canada in a clear and courteous communication. In this and some other questions the Americans may have some genuine grounds of complaint against Canada or its Government, but we confess that we are weary of the endless repetition of scoldings in which railway subsidies, canals, the Canadian Pacific Railway, steamboats, men-of-war on the Lakes, and the fisheries, are jumbled together in hopeless confusion." Concluding, the Globe thinks that there is hope that with the advent of the Cleveland administration in March a more straightforward mode of dealing with these questions will be adopted.

Cubb's Cough Cure—sure remedy for croup.

CABLE CORRESPONDENCE.

Additional Cases of Cholera in Hamburg—Punishment of Russian Cholera Rioters.

New Year's Day in London and Berlin—The Guelph Fund Scandal.

LONDON, Jan. 1.—The German papers have been recently predicting a presidential crisis in France within the first month of the year, correspondence from Paris to the Vossische Zeitung announcing that the republic is approaching its end, and that President Carnot is every day getting more and more entangled. According to the Vorwaerts the property classes see the handwriting on the wall, while the Conservative papers point out that the Panama investigation has only revealed the inherent rottenness of the republic which has long been known to exist.

The Indian National congress has passed a resolution expressing regret that the people of India were not allowed to elect representatives to the Council of Viceroys. A resolution requesting the Government not to deal with the currency question before the public had been enabled to discuss the report of the Berschell committee on the subject, was also adopted, likewise a resolution demanding a separation of the judicial from the executive functions of Indian officials. The congress strongly condemned the withdrawal of the grant for higher education and adopted a strong resolution denouncing the abolition of trial by jury in some districts of British India.

The German official press flaunts the non-compromise flag over the Army bill, while the opposition papers respond, challenging the government to dissolve the reichstag. Since the North German Gazette, the official organ, announced that Von Caprivi would concede nothing to the opponents of the measure, and if the reichstag refused to grant the funds necessary to augment the army effectively, the government would resort to rigorous practice of three years' service, the agitation throughout the country has become aggravated. The excitement caused by the chancellor's threat is seen in the unwonted number of public meetings and political reunions held everywhere in the country. Underneath mutual defiances a strong thought unseen is a desire to effect a compromise. Neither the Centrists nor the Freisinnige party really desires dissolution of the reichstag. Government bluster badly conceals official anxiety to get the bill accepted with any modification short of abandoning the leading points. In official circles it is expected that the government will score a triumph, and the expectation does not falter, because it is based on knowledge of inside facts.

The Prussian ministry has ventured to adopt a decree making religious instruction at schools obligatory, and another fierce educational fight is inevitable.

The German Socialistic organ Vorwaerts says that a scrutiny of 100 receipts given for payment from the Guelph fund shows that part of the fund was paid to court officials, generals, judges, journalists and members of Parliament.

The German court season commences January 5 with a reception and ball at the palace. From then until Lent almost every day is set for a special function.

The members of the committee of the Berlin Hebrews are irresolute over the proposed petition to the Emperor praying for protection against the Judenhetze.

The inquiry into the theft of military documents stolen at Weser and used by Herr Ahlwardt in his defence is ended. The inquiry was futile, no trace of the persons who purloined the documents being discovered.

The skaters had a perfect carnival last week in the environs of Paris. The skating club in the Bois de Boulogne has never been more in vogue since the days of the Empire. Thousands kept coming there during the whole of New Year's day. The ice was strong enough to bear them, and in the evening there was hardly room to move. A special portion of the lake was reserved for sliders.

The seven new cases of cholera reported in Hamburg have brought the subject afresh before the people. Germany is taking the most elaborate precautions to prevent the spread of the disease, and England has set around her coasts a quarantine the like of which has never been seen. France is more negligent in the matter and seems less fully prepared to deal with the scourge. Russia is not doing anything beyond talk and promises to be the great territory from which most of the contagion will come. A famine, beside which that of last year was a laughable trifle, threatens to devastate great portions of Russia this year, and that, with cholera, will make a record such as modern times have never known. All nations unite in believing that there will be a return of the cholera in the spring and all are taking precautions to head off the plague.

Baroness de Rouque, mother of Mrs. Maybrick, states that her daughter's health is improving. According to some of the London newspapers the reported illness of Mrs. Maybrick was nothing but an attempt to create public sympathy and induce the Home Secretary to release her.

A serious labor riot occurred in Madrid on Saturday. While 1,000 workingmen were marching in a body to the town hall to submit certain grievances to the mayor they became involved in a conflict with the police, who made free use of their sabres, while stones and other missiles were showered upon them from all sides. Many policemen and workingmen were wounded before the mob was dispersed. Several arrests were made.

Dr. Peter Reichensperger is dead. He was a clerical leader in the Reichstag where he sat as a representative of Olpe Meschede. He had been in public life nearly fifty years.

The United States Congressional committee, which recently visited Cuba to investigate quarantine and immigration methods, has sailed for Tampa.

The idea of a war between Argentine and Chili is said to be absurd. Chili, it is announced, will never act in an aggressive manner towards her neighbors, but will always be ready to aid them in preserving their autonomy and place themselves in such a position as to be free from the wild outbursts of revolution to which many of them are now liable.

New Year's day in London was notable only for the enormous crowds of church-goers. The demonstration of the unemployed at St. Paul's cathedral was orderly. Some 2,000 men marched up to the cathedral shortly before the service opened and took three times the number of seats reserved for them. Canon Henry Scott Holand preached a sermon full of sympathy with them. The procession moved from the cathedral to Camberwell, singing the Marseillaise.

The Colombian government will impose the following conditions in granting an extension of time to the Panama Canal Company: The debt to the government, amounting to 5,500,000 francs, is made 8,000,000 francs, to be paid in four equal installments, the first payment to be made in March, 1893. An inventory is to be made of all property possessed by the company on the Isthmus, and the latter binds itself not to transfer or dispose of any of it without the consent of the government. Any disputes which may arise are to be settled by the supreme court of the republic.

The New Year was observed in the usual way by Kaiser Wilhelm. The customary New Year's reception was given by the Emperor and Empress, attended by all the foreign diplomats and dignitaries of the empire. The emperor spoke mainly concerning the Army bill, and did not refer, as was expected, to the possibility that he would appoint another general to the chancellorship to replace Count Von Caprivi.

The London Standard's Berlin correspondent says: Up to Tuesday evening 17,000 Saar miners struck and many grave excesses are reported. The riot act is posted everywhere, and the magistracy and police officials are acting in concert in adoption of measures of precaution.

A Times dispatch from St. Petersburg says twenty Astrakhan cholera rioters have been sentenced to be hanged, twenty were sentenced to hard labor and ninety were acquitted.

The attempts of several German newspapers to smother in ridicule the Guelph fund scandal has not succeeded. The details given in the Vorwaerts' article concerning the distribution of money are too minute to be dismissed as mere fabrications. Although withholding the names of the recipients of bribes, the Vorwaerts indicates their occupations and politics with exactness. Ten of the men who were beneficiaries of the fund, it says, are officials of the empire, eight are generals, three are judges, eleven journalists and twenty-five members of the reichstag. The deputies in question are mostly National Liberals and Conservatives, and received sums varying between $1,500 and $2,000 each. The three principal beneficiaries of the fund are believed to have been intimate friends of King Ludwig, of Bavaria. The heaviest bribing, says the Vorwaerts, was done in 1886. The information supplied the Vorwaerts is believed to have been gained for the Social Democrats by August Bebel. Should Bebel be as disingenuous as he usually is, the investigation will be exceedingly perilous. The whole matter will probably lie over until the reichstag re-assembles, when the Social Democrats will bring it up by means of a resolution or interpellation.

EXPOSURE AND SUICIDE.

Mrs. Brundage Takes Laudanum and Dies Before Her Lover's Eyes—He Wanted to Follow.

The new year in Seattle was ushered in with the suicide of a beautiful woman and an unsuccessful attempt by her paramour at the Grandvue hotel. Mrs. Nellie Brundage, the wife of C. N. Brundage, a prominent real estate man, ended her life with laudanum before the eyes of S. R. Clute, her clandestine lover. He also took a dose of the same drug, but an antidote saved his life. Clute came to Seattle about a year and a half ago and opened a law office. He had been a patient at the Keeley institute, Dwight, Ill. After two or three months he again began to drink. About this time he took rooms at Brundage's house, at 1422 Fifth street, and here began the fatal infatuation.

About six months ago Clute went to Telluride, in Colorado, and correspondence was kept up between the infatuated pair. Two weeks ago she telegraphed him to return. He complied and took rooms at the Grandvue hotel. Mrs. Brundage was drinking a great deal. She met Clute on Saturday night and at the Cactus saloon both were soon in the first stages of exhilarating intoxication. The woman picked up a copy of the Mercury and was horrified at seeing an article headed "Disgraceful Show," which she instantly knew referred to herself and her companion. This told how "on Christmas eve there could have been witnessed a scene simply disgusting caused by a married lady, who, in company with a man not her husband, called upon a friend of hers, and commenced drinking and carousing. After several hours the lady's husband called for her, and a great commotion was caused." The article ended: "The male companion in her revelries is also well known, and we promise that if such practices are again brought under our observation, we shall certainly publish names." Mrs. Brundage showed it to Clute, and both were stricken with fear of a public exposure.

They started for Clute's room in the Grandvue arm in arm. They entered the house both intoxicated. After she had thrown her hat and boa on the bed, she told Clute that she was going to commit suicide, and walked out of the room. She returned in a moment saying: "I have taken laudanum and want to die." Clute tried to make her say that she was joking, but she stuck to her assertion and threw herself upon the bed. Drowsiness took possession of her and Clute found that it was a hard matter to arouse her when he spoke, and he called in the assistance of some of the people in the house. Dr. Belle Smith was summoned, but the first glance of the doctor was enough to convince her that the case was almost hopeless. The woman breathed her last at 2:45 o'clock in the morning with scarcely more than a parting gasp.

Clute removed the diamond earrings from her ears, rolled them in a piece of paper and placed them on the bureau. Then he went to Stewart & Holmes' drug store and purchased a half ounce of laudanum. Out on the street he drank two-thirds of it. His mind, though confused, was clear enough to allow him to write the following unsigned note, which was taken from his clothes by the police:

"My name is S. R. Clute. Send notice of death to George Clute, Montezuma, Ia. I love the woman. Save letters and send to my father."

Then he concluded he would rather live. He got to the Scandinavian saloon and asked the bartender for a glass of salt water. He gulped it down and, on returning to the street, vomited up a good part of the laudanum.

He returned to his room and found it filled with people. To Coroner Horton he said she had taken laudanum "and I guess I've got enough down me to send me where she has gone." Clute was taken to the police station, where Dr. Palmer did all he could for him. The patient was somewhat refactory on account of the liquor he had drunk, and said he objected to any doctor experimenting on him. He thought the amount of whiskey he had drunk ought to counteract the poison left in his stomach.

Mrs. Brundage was married in Canadigua, N.Y., thirteen years ago, and has had no children. In her domestic relations there seems to have been no trouble, except that for many years she has been addicted to drink.

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MARINE MOVEMENTS.

The Quarantined Tacoma Proceeds on Her Voyage to Puget Sound Ports.

Success of the Dioxide Blast Apparatus—To Ply on Comox Lake.

Having passed the quarantine station with as little delay as possible, but leaving behind the Chinese passengers for United States ports, and Canadian as well, the Northern Pacific Co.'s steamer the Tacoma (*nee* Batavia) cast lines on the Outer wharf on Sunday, and was welcomed by a small but select crowd of admirers. Externally there are few changes apparent, and those who were familiar with the Batavia had no difficulty in seeing in the Tacoma the "old familiar lines." But below decks everything has been altered in about the same way as with the Victoria, *nee* Parthia, and now the second of the regular fleet of liners is as comfortable and cosy a ship as one would wish to travel on. The saloons are handsomely fitted up in dark hard woods with light panels. The dining saloon is commodious and inviting, and in fact the arrangement of the whole is on the modern lines of a passenger vessel fitted for first-class tourist travel.

After discharging her cargo here, the Tacoma left for the City of Destiny, but owing to the United States quarantine laws, all the officers and crew were left behind. Capt. Bucknam was in command when the Tacoma left here. Capt. Hill will be picked up on the return trip.

Through the kindness of the purser of the Tacoma the following account of the voyage is had:

"Steamship Tacoma left Hongkong 1st December, Shanghai 6th December, Kobe 10th December, and Yokohama 13th December. After leaving Yokohama for this port fine weather was experienced for some days, but the usual westerly winds were not met with to any extent; on the contrary, during the middle portion of the voyage, strong head winds and a heavy sea prevailed, which delayed the ship's progress somewhat. On the Pacific coast had strong south-east wind with rain and thick weather. Arrived at Victoria 30th December, at noon.

Passengers—Mr. and Mrs. F. Dodwell and two children, Mr. W. E. Bridgeman, 79 Chinese and 11 Japanese in steerage.

Freight—There are 265 tons freight for Victoria, including 50 tons for transhipment to San Francisco. To be landed at Tacoma there are 408 tons for coast ports, and 785 tons for overland points, the latter consisting of 780 bales silk, 118 cases silk goods, and a large quantity of tea, curios, matting, etc. The Tacoma also brings 20 sacks of mail."

A RECEPTION AND PRESENTATION.

The Northern Pacific Company's liner which arrived here on Sunday, is named the Tacoma in honor of the city which is the terminus of the run on this side of the Pacific. The first vessel of the line to arrive—the Victoria, so named in honor of Victoria—was given a suitable reception by citizens on her arrival, and a presentation of a handsome clock, a pair of statuettes and an address was made. It is understood that when the Tacoma arrives at the City of Destiny, a like fate will be hers. She will be boarded by friends of the line and her officers will be told in language unmistakable that they will always be welcomed in port. The form of the presentation is not yet announced, but a handsome gift will accompany the address.

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The first chance the Dominion quarantine officer, Dr. Macnaughton Jones, had to give a thorough practical test to the dioxide blast he was furnished with last summer, was afforded on the Northern Pacific Company's steamer Tacoma and, to quote an old standby, it "worked like a charm." Dr. Jones says that the apparatus is just exactly what was wanted. It may possibly prevent the introduction into the Province of another epidemic.

MARINE NOTES.

The sealing schooner Dora Sieward flew all her colors yesterday in honor of a party of American visitors now in the city. They agree that the "poachers" are a very genial lot.

It is expected the sealing schooner Mary Ellen will be hauled on the ways before her departure this month for the sealing grounds.

Tug Hope is to be hauled out on Turpel's ways to-morrow or next day to have her bottom cleaned and painted and also to receive any necessary repairs.

On the steamer Joan's last trip to Comox she carried as freight the hull of the little steamer Lillie, which was built in the Clyde ship yard, for service on Comox lake.

Eight large cannon carriages for the navy yard at Esquimalt, arrived from England via the C.P.R., Sunday evening.

The steamship Walla Walla from San Francisco reached port at 2 o'clock yesterday morning.

The steamer City of Topeka is due at Port Townsend from Alaska to-morrow.

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FRENCH DISCONTENT.

History May Repeat Itself and Another Revolution Break Out—Ominous Signs.

The Anarchists Bide Their Time—Their Power is Not Measurable by Numbers.

LONDON, Jan. 1.—That the Orleanists have not abandoned the hope of being able to overthrow the French republic as a result of the Panama canal scandal is shown by the fact that the Count of Paris has telegraphed his son, the Duke of Orleans, now traveling in India and China, to hasten his return in order to take part in the Orleanists agitation. It is not known in what direction the Orleanists propose to push their work. The political crisis in France continues to develop, and nothwithstanding the desire of the Government to hush it up, it is believed to be impossible to stay the scandal. Every day brings forth some new proof. It has been stated that five deputies, three of whom are Radicals and one a Boulangerist, are compromised. We cannot tell what tomorrow may bring forth. The Paris correspondent of the New York Herald says:

Two things are very serious. First, the discontent in the provinces, and second, the dissensions among the members of the government. On the first point all letters from the provinces are unanimous in declaring that the Panama scandals have produced a profound impression upon the population. The affair is simple and is understood by the simple masses. The peasants think that all the present deputies, without political distinction, are robbers, no matter what part they take in the Panama business. So violent are their sentiments that deputies have been hooted in several towns. At Nantes they were unable to speak at a public meeting, the Auvergne peasants drowning their voices with cries of "Down with the thieves."

Notwithstanding all this Paris goes on as usual. All the Parisians are in the streets, their arms full of parcels of New Year gifts. Whatever may be said by those who fail to understand the Paris population, the crisis is fairly political and not social. Within a moment of bad temper the people may throw the chamber to one side, but they would do so as if they were getting rid of a troublesome burden, with a sigh of relief rather than of anger. There is no precursory sign of a violent revolution. A violent Socialist movement exists only in the imagination of a few visionaries. A hundred of them might march to the Place de la Concorde, but they would get no farther, nor would their number increase. Dynamite explosions are possible, but they have nothing to do with politics. I repeat that France is the last country where a Socialistic revolution would be possible.

I well know my fellow citizens, having always lived among them and having friends both in the Faubourg St. Antoine and the Faubourg St. Germain, and I believe that any violent revolution is impossible in this country. That we have been dragged into the mire is incontestable, and how we shall come out of it nobody knows, but I am convinced that not 100 shots will be fired in the whole of France if anybody attempts to overthrow the republic. As nobody has either the courage or strength to do it we can be perfectly reassured. Those prophets who predict socialist troubles in France shortly only prove that they do not know what they are talking about.

The first meeting of the committee of public safety, appointed by the gathering at the Maison du Peuple, was held on Friday. It was secret and the reports of it are meager; perhaps being guess work. It, however, seems clear that the anarchists and socialists find it difficult to work together without friction, and that both have discovered that to announce a revolution in advance of the fixed day is a mistake. The socialists are not easy in company with the anarchists and are less easy under the comments of the press of their new alliance. The French press has, after thinking it over for two days, begun to discuss the proceedings at the Maison du Peuple. The explosion at the prefecture of police helped to turn their attention thither. Truly, the connection of dates between the Maison du Peuple meeting and the explosion was striking. The explosion followed the meeting within twenty-four hours.

Of the 20 arrondisements in Paris the anarchists have regular organizations in 13. In several there are several groups, and in all there are assemblies more or less regular. The police cannot prevent them, or for some reason do not care to prevent them. These assemblies are always private, and over private assemblies their authority has little power. The anarchists commit no overt acts until the moment arrives and the outrage is resolved on, and this, unlike the demonstration fixed for January 10, they do not proclaim beforehand.

None of these ward groups are large. If their numbers increase they divide and hold separate meetings, as if not caring to attract notice. They meet sometimes in their own lodgings and sometimes in wine shops. They prefer, however, to use wine shops, as the public houses are used in London for preaching the gospel of anarchy to all comers. Their converts do not all become avowed anarchists. It seems to be thought more prudent that they should not. They accept all or part of the anarchist doctrines. Some of them stop short of dynamite. The power of the anarchists for mischief cannot be measured by their number. They do not aim at a majority.

The Jacobins, 100 years ago, were never anything but an insignificant minority in numbers, but that did not prevent them from conquering and governing France, and it does not prevent Clemenceau from saying to-day that the revolution must be accepted as a whole. Nobody who took part in it is to be condemned, not even Marat, nor Couthon, nor St. Just. Not much has been heard about these anarchists' meetings of late. It is the openness of the new movement that has turned men's eyes to the secret conspiracies hatching daily and nightly, that and the effort to bring the anarchists and socialists together.

A fresh manifesto has appeared, attacking the Socialists not less violently than the Government and the middle classes in general, calling to arms. It is evident that some men who have got hold of the Anarchist machine mean to run it themselves. Much of the language of this document can't be put into printable English, but one sentence may be given. It reads: "The Opportunist politicians, Radical politicians, Possiblist, Marxist politicians and all the 'ists' are all alike. One is no better than another."

That is hardly civil to the people who are making advances to these very advanced reformers—to Goblet, for example, who has a journal of his own and uses it to praise the proceedings at the Maison du Peuple, and to approve such speeches as I quoted to you two days ago. Goblet has been a prime minister and expects to be again. He is not an Anarchist nor even a Socialist. He is only a Radical. Is there really so much difference between the three? One would like to know whether this eminent parliamentarian joins in the cry: "Down with Parliament."

The Anarchists will have nothing to do with the suffrage. To vote is, according to them, to play the game of the middle class, which they hate more than all the others. The artisan who is called not an Anarchist but revolutionist will vote only for men who have never been in an office of any kind, municipal or parliamentary. He wants a clean sweep and a new deal. He will not vote for his own leaders, like Cameliant, Vaillant and men of that stamp, who are or who have been officeholders, nor he will not so long as he has a chance of electing anybody else. They are organizing on that basis all over Paris.

The committee of public safety is have delegates in each of the 80 sections, and so are the artisan-revolutionists, and it is yet to be seen how far they will differ. Their alleged objects are, however, perfectly distinct. The Maison du Peuple lot organize for street demonstrations. Their rivals will organize to bring voters to the polls

NEW YORK CITY.

Taxable Property, Income and Annual Expenditures—Over a Billion and a Half in Real Estate.

NEW YORK, Jan. 1.—The city expenses for 1893 will aggregate very nearly $35,000,000, an increase of about $2,500,000 over last year. In this city there is $1,500,000,000 taxable property, against $500,000,000 which is exempt from taxation. Of the exempt property $202,000,000 belongs to the city itself, while the State owns $500,000 and the United States $18,000,000. The city property consists of the parks, markets, jails, police houses, courts, department buildings, docks and water fronts. Central park is valued at $89,000,000, and Blackwell's Island is put down at $6,000,000. The largest single holding in the United States is the post office building, which is assessed at $9,000,000. Governor's Island is worth $3,000,000, and the custom house $2,000,000. There is $80,000,000 of exempt real estate. Of this Trinity church is rated at $4,000,000, St. Paul's church at $1,750,000, the Catholic orthedral at $2,500,000, St. Luke's hospital at $1,125,000, and the Presbyterian hospital at $1,000,000. The income from taxable property in the city is $33,000,000. The expenditures are under the direction of a democratic legislature and the board of aldermen, all Tammany democrats.

Two Small Fires.

The fire department were turned out twice on Sunday evening to attend to small blazes, both of which resulted from the crossing of electric wires. The first alarm rang in at 5:35 in the evening. The fire was discovered in the Williams block, but fortunately had gained no headway and after the wires were cut the blaze was easily extinguished without calling on the men at the nozzle. The damage done was trifling, though the office of Evers & Keith, architects, had a close call. In attempting to turn in the narrow street the hook and ladder truck struck a telephone pole and tipped over. The pole of the truck broke and away went the horses, the crowd scattering right and left. For a moment it looked as if some one must be seriously injured, but when the excitement died down it was found that a little court plaster would repair all damages, except to the broken pole of the truck. The horses turned in to the Deluge hall and awaited further developments. The second alarm came in at 6:15 from a house on Broughton street, where a crossed wire burned a gas pipe through and started a blaze. As in the other case no water was required and the damage was slight.

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'Twould be difficult to estimate the number of fowls slaughtered in Chinatown during the festive season, but if the mode of slaughter be as represented, it is fiendish in the extreme. Some time ago John was accused of plucking turkeys alive. The crime has not, as yet, been fully established, but while the police are looking up the case, it would be well that they should inquire into the Chinese mode of dealing with other fowls. It is said that the birds are plunged alive into boiling water, so that the feathers may be the more easily and expeditiously removed.

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2. Any male or female of the full age of twenty-one years who resided in the City on or before the fifth day of December, 1891, who holds a license for and is carrying on business in the ward of the City in which he or she is registered as the holder of such trade license, the annual fee for which is not less than five dollars, and who has paid on or before the first day of December, 1892, the license fee up to and including the 31st day of December, 1892, and also all municipal rates, taxes, and license fees payable by him or her.

3. Any male or female being a British subject of the full age of twenty-one years who has resided and been a householder in the City for the six months preceding the 7th November, 1892, and who pays a rental of not less than $60 per annum, and who pays on or before the first day of December, 1892, all municipal rates, taxes, and license fees payable by him or her, and who before the 1st day of December, 1892, enters with the Assessor his or her name as a voter, and who makes and personally delivers to the Assessor a statutory declaration in the form mentioned in Sub-section E of Section 37 of the Municipal Act, 1892.

The declaration is to be made and subscribed before a Judge, Magistrate, or Notary Public.

The Voters' List closes on the 5th December, 1892.

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By order,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office,
Victoria, Nov. 21, 1892. no22

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that on and after Thursday next, the 24th inst., the scow for the removal of city garbage, and night soil will be at the wharf at the foot of Telegraph street (connecting with Store street between Fisguard and Herald streets), between the hours of 7 a. m. and 7 p. m., for the reception of garbage, refuse, and rubbish; between the hours of 12 midnight and 4 a. m., for the reception of filth, night soil, etc. By order.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
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City Clerk's Office,
Victoria, November 22, 1892. no23

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, at its next Session, for an Act to incorporate a Company for the purpose of constructing and operating a line or lines of Telephone and Cable between the Cities of Victoria, New Westminster, Nanaimo and Vancouver or intervening Points as may be desired, and between such other place or places in or between Vancouver's Island and Queen Charlotte Islands, and such other islands in the Gulf of Georgia as may be desired for establishing stations therefor and for all other powers necessary, usual incidental or conducive to the foregoing purposes or any of them.

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Solicitor for Applicants.
December 6th, 1892. dec14

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislature of the Province of British Columbia at its next Session, for an Act to incorporate a company for the purpose of erecting and operating at some convenient point within the Province the necessary blast furnaces, steel works, rolling mills, plant and machinery for extracting iron from the ores thereof, and for manufacturing the same into steel and iron of all descriptions, and for utilizing the product of said works in the building of iron or steel ships, steamers, and other sea craft, and all description of machinery, and of all iron or steel manufactured articles; to hold land, own, operate, and work coal mines, iron mines, copper mines, nickel mines, timber limits, timber leases, charcoal ovens, coke ovens, and to build, own, and operate steamers, sailing vessels, barges, railways, wharves, etc., in connection with said works or otherwise, and generally to possess and exercise all such other powers as are necessary or incidental to the said purposes or any of them. And to provide a guarantee by the Province of 5 per cent. per annum for 20 years on $1,000,000 of the capital stock of said company, and for freedom from Government and Municipal taxation for a like period.

Dated the 11th day of November, 1892.
BODWELL & IRVING,
no30-2m Solicitors for applicants.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, at its next session, for an Act to incorporate a Company for the purpose of constructing, equipping, operating and maintaining Water Works at the Town of Alberni, Vancouver Island, in the said Province, with power to take and convey water from Sproat Lake, Central Lake, Somass and Stamp Rivers, and other lakes and streams within a radius of 20 miles from the centre of the said Town, and to build flumes and aqueducts, dig ditches, lay pipes, erect dams, acquire lands, and do all such things as may be necessary for the purposes aforesaid.

18th November, 1892.
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DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

The partnership heretofore existing between Pemberton & Dumbleton, barristers and solicitors, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The business will in future be carried on by Alan S. Dumbleton at 51 Langley street, who assumes all liabilities and to whom all debts are to be paid.

Dated this 10th day of December, 1892.
(Signed), C. C. PEMBERTON.
dec11-1mo ALAN S. DUMBLETON.

NOTICE.

During my temporary absence in England, any communications may be left with, and my address obtained from Messrs. Lowenberg, Harris & Co., Government street.

J. GERHARD TIARKS,
no27-tf Architect.

Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital.

Notice is hereby given that the "Dupont" Hospital Ambulance is now ready for service in cases of accidents, and can be obtained at the Victoria Transfer Stables.

The use of the ambulance for all cases other than accidents can only be obtained on the order of one of the Consulting or Visiting Physicians of the Hospital.

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H. M. YATES,
de23-tf Secretary.

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QUARANTINE.

The question of a national quarantine is one which just now occupies a good deal of public attention in the United States. It is considered that the quarantine will be much more effective if it is regulated by one authority than it is now, when states and municipalities consider that it comes under their jurisdiction. In time of danger, and when the saving of life depends upon uniformity and promptitude of action, there should be no clashing of authority. This is a question that seriously affects Canada as well as the United States.

A moment's reflection shows that quarantine cannot be a local question. If cholera or any other contagious disease effects an entrance to the Dominion, say at Victoria or Quebec, the inhabitants of the whole Dominion are affected by the misfortune. The people of Canada will not be satisfied to allow their safety to depend upon the vigilance and intelligence of the government of a province or the corporation of a municipality. The authorities in one province may be ready to do all that is required, while those of another may be careless and apathetic, and allow the disease to get into the country and spread before they take a single step to avert the danger. The whole business of warding off disease should be in the hands of the Federal Government, and its arrangements should be so complete and its staff of officials so large and so efficient that any interference on the part of provincial governments and municipalities should be wholly unnecessary. The Province should not be required to revise or to supplement the work of the Dominion quarantine officials, nor should the municipalities be permitted to nullify their action. There should be no confusion and no room to shift responsibility from the shoulders of one set of officials to those of another set. The Dominion quarantine should be so complete in every respect, and so effective, that when its officials give a ship a clean bill of health there would be no cause to make a single inquiry or to subject a single passenger to further examination or delay.

As every intelligent man knows there is still danger from cholera. The disease has shown itself to be active in Hamburg and it may be lurking in New York. We read that there were twelve new cases and three deaths in the former city in one week. It is said that the German Hygiene society has given warning that there will be a serious outbreak of the disease in the spring and that the Russian Government is preparing for a revival of the disease when the warm weather comes. It is, then, the duty of the Dominion Government to take precautions in time. The quarantine stations at all the ports should be put in good working order, the necessary wharves constructed and all proper appliances should be prepared and placed on the spot. The expense of taking the necessary precautions will not be very great. If they are not required this year, so much the better. But they may be required, and it would be tempting Providence to leave the Dominion as open to attack as it was last year.

A new set of quarantine regulations should be drawn up, and care taken to see that they are rigidly enforced. The Government should not tolerate careless or slovenly work on the part of any official. And there should be officials enough to meet an emergency. Nothing should be left to chance, and no dependence should be placed on voluntary effort. It was seen last summer at New York how brutally cruel and how unreasonable people generally considered respectable can be when they believe themselves to be in danger from having persons afflicted with a contagious disease brought into their neighborhood. Let the authorities prepare in time. With them to be forewarned should be to be forearmed.

CANADA INDEPENDENT.

When the McKinley Bill became law the anti-Canadian party in the States boasted that they had cooked Canada's goose for her, and many lovers of Canada feared that irreparable injury had been done to the trade of their country. The annexationist plotters on this side of the line, at whose suggestion there is reason to believe many of the changes prejudicial to Canada were made, were jubilant. In their opinion they had effected a stroke of policy that was truly machiavelian. Without appearing to interfere they had managed matters so that Canada's spirit would be broken and she would very soon be reduced to such an extremity that she must pray to be admitted into the American Union to escape utter ruin. Well, the unexpected has happened. In spite of the United States' duties, considered prohibitory, Canada's foreign trade has increased very considerably, and that, too, in a time of general stagnation. The export trade of both the United States and Great Britain has decreased, while that of the Dominion of Canada has increased. Here are the figures as they are given in the Toronto Empire of the 23rd ult.:

Exports from Great Britain during eleven months ending November 30, 1891, £227,000,000; 1892, £207,000,000. Decrease, £20,000,000.

Exports from United States for five months ending November 30, 1891, $431,000,000; 1892, $371,000,000. Decrease, $60,000,000.

Exports from Canada for the first quarter of the fiscal year, July-September, 1891, $34,000,000; 1892, $39,800,000. Increase, $5,800,000.

These figures are significant. They show very clearly indeed that the export trade of Canada has not been ruined by the hostile trade legislation of the United States. An examination of the statistics of trade for the whole of 1892, shows that Canada has flourished in spite of the McKinley tariff. The total imports and exports of Canada for 1892 were valued at $241,369,826. This is the best year that Canada has ever known. The nearest to it was 1883, when the aggregate trade of the Dominion was $230,339,826. In 1891 it was $218,384,934.

The exports of the Dominion were last year valued at $113,963,375. In 1891 they were $98,417,296, or about $15,500,000 less than they were in '92. This is a very considerable increase in one year, particularly at a time when the blue ruin politicians predicted, and the annexationists hoped for, a considerable falling off. Last year's export trade exceeded that of any other year by about $12,000,000.

The following comparative statement shows how the trade of the Dominion stood last year (1892) with the different countries with which it has dealings:

CANADA AGGREGATE TRADE.

With	*1892.*	*1891.*
Great Britain	$106,254,984	$91,328,381
United States	86,968,268	91,824,352
West Indies	7,638,846	6,369,926
Germany	6,526,228	4,336,332
France	2,770,173	2,565,877
Newfoundland	2,503,963	2,218,911
China and Japan	3,300,108	2,202,102
South America	1,906,291	1,782,950

The increase of trade with the Mother Country, the reader sees, has been quite considerable, while the falling off of the trade with the United States has not been so great as was anticipated.

The statement of exports for the year shows that the decrease of exports to the United States was very much more than made up by the increase of exports to Great Britain. While the United States bought from us last year some eight millions worth of one commodity less than it did the year before; Great Britain bought about twenty-five millions more. And the trade of Canada with the Mother Country is capable of very much greater expansion. All that Canadians have to do is to study the wants of the British people and to put up their goods in such a way as suits their taste, to be able to find a market in the Old Country for every dollar's worth of what they can produce. A good article, well put up, will nearly always find a ready sale at a fair price on the other side of the water. The following is the statement:

CANADIAN EXPORTS.

To	*1892.*	*1891.*
Great Britain	$64,906,549	$49,280,858
United States	33,830,696	41,138,695
West Indies	3,516,559	3,122,770
China and Japan	283,251	78,791
Newfoundland	1,757,714	1,467,908

These figures must show our neighbors that Canada is not so completely dependent upon them for a market as many of them suppose. The advantages of close commercial intercourse with the United States are undoubtedly great, and the Canadian who makes light of them is both shallow and shortsighted. But the figures that we have produced and a survey of the field which Canadian enterprise has opened up to intelligent producers, must show both Canadians and United States citizens that free entrance into the United States market is not indispensable to Canadian prosperity. We can, as they see, get along pretty well with the prohibitory McKinley tariff against us, and the prospect is that we are likely to do still better. Canadians can, therefore, wait to see what the results of American tariff reform are going to be with philosophical cheerfulness. The Democratic trade policy is not a matter of commercial life and death to them. If it is anti-Canadian, they can stand it as long as their neighbors can; if it is liberal and friendly, they know that it will benefit the Americans quite as much as it will Canadians.

SOMETHING WRONG.

It is evident there are many intelligent people who are not partizans, who distrust the financial statements of the Harrison administration. They believe that the exhibit of the Secretary of the Treasury does not show things as they really are. He makes it appear that at the end of the financial year there will be a small surplus. The doubters confidently declare there will be a considerable deficit. Some of the opponents of the Government say that the first thing that the Cleveland administration ought to do should be to make a rigid examination of the public accounts to see if they are as they are represented by Mr. Harrison and his officials. The New York Herald, which is not unfriendly to Mr. Harrison, questions the accuracy of the Secretary's statement, and emphasizes its assertions by a profuse and altogether unusual use of italics. This is what it says:

In the public debt statement issued on the first day of this month, Mr. Foster sets forth the net cash balance in the Treasury as $30,328,918. This statement, however, is made up on the new system adopted in the summer of 1891, when he found the cash in the Treasury running low in consequence of the frightful extravagance of the Billion Dollar Congress. *If the statement made on the 1st inst were compiled according to the old method the Treasury would show a big deficit*, instead of a credit balance.

The statement, like all of those issued on the new plan, does not charge against cash in the Treasury the following items, which under the old method were always so charged:—

Matured debt	$2,132,015
Accrued interest	3,815,136
National bank note redemption fund	24,137,673
Subsidiary coin	10,960,182
Minor coin and fractional currency	347,330
Making a total of	$41,692,341

As the net cash balance in the Treasury at the beginning of this month according to Secretary Foster's statement was $30,328,918, it appears that *if the statement were made up in the old way it would show a deficit of* $11,363,423.

The showing would be still worse if anything like the old balance were carried to the credit of disbursing officers. In the last statement made before the present administration obtained control of the Treasury, and issued March 1, 1889, the item "Disbursing officers' balances" was $58,295,127. But in Secretary Foster's statement of the 1st inst. the amount set apart for this purpose is only $22,786,939, being $35,509,188 less. *It thus appears that if this liability were dealt with as it was under the bookkeeping of the Cleveland administration the deficit would now appear as* $46,872,611.

This in Canada would, if it could be proved, be considered a statement most damaging to the Administration. If a leading journal should state in this clear way that the statement of the Minister of Finance was delusive, that instead of having a surplus, as his figures show, a correct statement would reveal a deficit, the Government would be placed in a very awkward position. Its friends would fear that something was radically wrong, and its opponents would openly and boldly accuse it of attempting to hide its delinquencies by cooking the public accounts.

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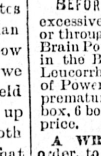
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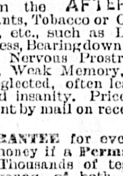
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LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

The above named gentlemen having been chosen at a Citizens' Meeting held on Monday evening last, to represent the city as Aldermen and School Trustees for the year 1893, your support and hearty co-operation to elect them is earnestly solicited.

B. GORDON, Chairman.
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EDWIN C. SMITH, Secretary.

December 23, 1892. de24

MAPLE RIDGE DYKIN COMMISSIONERS.

Tenders are asked for the purchase of debentures to the amount of $80,000, to be issued by the Maple Ridge Dyking Commissioners under the provisions of the Drainage and Dyking Act, 1888 and 1892 of British Columbia.

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(Signed) W. J. HARRIS,
no12 Chairman of Commissioners.

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lot 67 Block H, Victoria West, in the City of Victoria.

A Certificate of Indefeasible Title to the above lot will be issued to Thomas Allsop, on the 17th day of March, 1893, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest therein or some part thereof.

C. J. LEGGATT, Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 12th December, 1892. dec13-3mo

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lot Six, Medina Grove, Victoria City (Map 65)

WHEREAS the Certificate of Title of Joseph Levy to the above lot bearing date the 6th day of October, 1881, has been lost and application has been made for a duplicate of such certificate; "Notice is therefore hereby given that such duplicate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary, in writing, within one month from the date hereof.

C. J. LEGGATT, Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 5th December, 1892. dec6-1m

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lots 16 and 17, Group 1, Osoyoos Division of Yale District.

A certificate of Indefeasible Title to the above property will be issued to Forbes George Vernon, on the 14th day of January, 1893, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest in said property, or some part thereof.

C. J. LEGGATT, Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office,
Victoria, October 12, 1892. oc13

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lots 56, Block H, Victoria West, and Lot 1268 in the City of Victoria.

CERTIFICATES of Indefeasible Title to the above lots will be issued to Thomas Allsop on the 6th day of January, 1893, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest therein or some part thereof.

C. J. LEGGATT, Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office,
Victoria, Oct. 4, 1892. oc5

NOTICE

Is hereby given that the Sixth Annual Meeting of the British Columbia Fire Insurance Company will be held at the Company's office, 61 Yates street, Victoria, on Thursday, January 19th, 1893, at four p. m., when the annual report of the company will be presented. Members of the company are requested to attend.

December 16th, 1892.

WM. DALBY, Manager.

dec17-1mo

NOTICE - OF - ASSIGNMENT.

Pursuant to the "Creditors' Trust Deeds Act 1890."

Notice is hereby given that Jacob McDonald Hughes and Henry Lee O'Brien, both of the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, grocers, doing business under the name and style of "Hughes & O'Brien," have by deed dated the 17th day of December, 1892, assigned all the real and personal estate of them and each of them to Percy Wollaston the younger, of the City of Victoria, in the said Province, accountant, in trust, for the purpose of paying and satisfying, proportionately and without preference or priority, the creditors of the said Jacob McDonald Hughes and Henry Lee O'Brien and each of them. The said deed was executed by the said assignors and by the said assignee, on the 17th day of December, 1892. All persons having claims against the said Jacob McDonald Hughes and Henry Lee O'Brien or either of them, are required to forward particulars of the same, duly verified, to the assignee on or before the 15th day of January, 1893. All persons indebted to the said Jacob McDonald Hughes and Henry Lee O'Brien or either of them, are required to pay the amount of such indebtedness to the said assignee forthwith. After the 31st day of January, 1893, the assignee will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have received notice.

Dated the 17th day of December, 1892.

BODWELL & IRVING,
21 Bastion street, Victoria, B. C.,
dec20-14t Solicitors for the Assignee.

NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT.

Pursuant to the Creditors Trust Deeds Act, 1890.

Notice is hereby given that Murdoch Allan Morrison, of the city of Victoria, carpenter and builder, has assigned all his real and personal property to James Lemuel Arthur, of 152 Yates street, in the said city of Victoria, in trust for the purpose of paying and satisfying proportionately and without preference or priority the creditors of the said Murdoch Allan Morrison.

The said deed was executed by the said assignor and trustee on the 13th day of December, A. D., 1892, and the assignee has undertaken the trusts created by the said deed. All persons having claims against the said Murdoch Allan Morrison must forward and deliver full particulars of claim, duly verified, to the assignee at Victoria on or before the 13th day of February, A. D., 1893. All persons indebted to the said Murdoch Allan Morrison are required to pay the amount due by them to the said assignee forthwith. After the said 13th day of February, A. D., 1893, the trustee will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice. A meeting of the creditors will be held at the office of the undersigned on Thursday, the fifth day of January, 1893, at 2.30 o'clock p. m.

ALAN S. DUMBLETON,
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THE HIGHWAY OF LIFE.

Another milestone reached! Still on we press,
Though, as we move ahead, we glance behind
At all the dangers passed and obstacles o'ercome.
These, hard as once they were, thoughtful we find
But sorrow's trivial—blessings in disguise:
To lead us from ourselves to nobler aims—
To study those who, far less blest than we,
For aid and sympathy present most urgent claims.
Trouble, 'tis said, ne'er comes alone to man,
It all along is lightened with some joy
That, in itself, makes keenest misery glad,
And tempers trial with its sweet alloy.

We would not, if we could, have always sun
In brightness shine, to wither up our hearts;
We want the cloud drops—though not smiling tears—
To cheer our souls, and feed their noblest parts.

Another milestone pass'd! How many more
Shall we attain as tow'rd the goal we run?—
That goal for which some long, and many fear—
Which once attained, our race on earth is done.
Still, life is dear, and though the feet may tire,
And almost give out on the toilsome way,
To most the living is worth all it costs,
And well content they wait their longest day.
Oases green—bright fresh and cheersome—lie
Along the way: our acts in memory live,
And those of others; yet blessed more to give
We know, than all things to receive.

This morn we cross the line; and full of hope
Of what the year will bring, we onward move,
Thankful for what's to come; safe in the hands
Of Him who led us and whose name is Love.

January 1, 1893. J. F. N.

THE CITY.

The City Police Court.

In the police court yesterday, two fighters were remanded, and one lone drunk, an Indian, was convicted and discharged.

Mr. Atwood's Piano.

Mr. R. Atwood is understood to be the holder of ticket No. 4,117, which won the grand piano at Mr. G. H. Maynard's New Year drawing.

The Tournament Is "Off."

The Pool tournament which was to have opened at the Delmonico yesterday has been declared off, the sufficient number of entries not being received.

An Omission.

Through an inadvertence, the name of the Victoria Home Journal was omitted from the list of Union offices in this city, published in the daily newspapers by order of the Executive Committee.

Was Not Included.

In the statistical article on the salmon pack, published Sunday, omission was made of the Royal Canadian Packing Co. on the Skeena, who put up 11,325 cases. The figures given were from Inspector McNab's report.

Change in Teachers.

Prof. Coutellier, who for some months past has been in charge of the Ingres-Coutellier school of languages, in this city, has been recalled to take charge of the Toronto school. Prof. Constans, who arrived from the East a few weeks ago, has assumed control of the Victoria branch.

The B.C.B.G.A.

It is probable that the volunteers will be asked to supply the usual guard of honor at the opening of the Legislature by Lieut.-Governor Dewdney on the 26th inst. Hence it has been decided to call a parade of the three batteries for Thursday evening next, at 8 o'clock, at the Market Hall.

British Columbia Three Per Cent. Inscribed Stock.

The London Stock and Share List of December 12 reports business done that day in B. C. threes at 91¾, the closing quotation being 92. This price places the B. C. securities almost at the top figure of all Colonial stocks, only Ceylon and the Dominion of Canada being quoted at a higher figure.

A Ready Explanation.

Officer Abel placed under arrest yesterday a Chinese servant named Ah Yung, who is accused of helping himself to his employer's silver spoons, table napkins, etc. The missing articles were found under a mattress in an out-house on the premises. Yung claims that he only took them out for the purpose of cleaning them. Whether the excuse will be accepted remains to be seen.

"Mission" Fruits.

Mr. W. M. Cochrane, of Vernon, who spent the last days of the old year in town, is an enthusiastic champion of the district surrounding The Mission, which he considers the best fruit growing country in British Columbia. Horticulture is being made a special study there, and none but the best varieties of trees and small fruits are planted. Work on the fruit cannery has been begun, and next season will see "The Mission" brand of canned goods placed on the market.

Welcoming '93.

A bevy of non. coms. and gunners of one of the batteries of the B.C.B.G.A. heralded the advent of the new year in a truly military fashion. One of the boys, who makes some pretence to being a bugler, acted as instructor. First the reveille was sounded, about 11.45, and a few minutes after was followed by the "assemble." At this the four others, armed with double-barrelled shot guns and plenty of blank ammunition, got ready for the next call—"commence firing." Just as the town clock struck twelve the squad opened fire, and together with the blare of the bugles succeeded in raising pandemonium on a small scale.

The Acme of Meanness.

Complaint was made a few days ago by a chicken fancier living "over the bay" that some of his exhibition birds had been clipped and disfigured so that all hope of showing them was at an end. Now comes a "dog man" who laments a favorite setter, a victim to poison. The dog, too, was to have entered the lists at the approaching exhibition. Surely rivalry which will descend to such methods to score a paltry victory at the bench show or poultry exhibition should be identified; the society, if it could discover the author of the two outrages referred to above—for surely there are not two such scoundrels in Victoria—would be doing a work worthy of all commendation.

They Hope For a Good House.

The Ladies' Auxiliary Chinese mission hope to see all their friends at the entertainment to be given in Angela college tomorrow evening, in aid of the general expenses of the school. There will be a Christmas tree, music, pictures and a substantial tea—amply sufficient to command a large attendance even for an object less worthy, for surely those who work in teaching should be supported in their charitable labors and not have to bear all the expenses of rent, salaries, fire, etc., as well. The scholars, a majority of whom are men out of work or servants out of situations, cannot afford to pay any fees, though they are asked so to do once a month. Much charity has been dispensed of late by the merchants among their fellow countrymen, and trade having at the same time been bad, they are at present unable to assist with money, though friendly to the mission.

Removing From Victoria West.

Owing to a largely increasing city practice, Dr. Motherell has found a more central residence necessary, and in future will have both office and residence at 106 Yates street.

The Search Will Be Continued.

Although no traces of the lost boy, Stark Miller, have yet been found, it is the intention of his father and friends to still continue the search for about two weeks longer. In the hopes of finding him a party of friends will leave on the steamer Joan this morning.

Mr. Falconer's New Factories.

The two new factories soon to be erected by Mr. J. H. Falconer will be respectively two and three stories in height, 45x85 feet on the ground floor. They will be fitted with 40 h.p. boiler and engine, and cellars with cement floors. As soon as the site is decided upon factory No. 1 will be put up.

Of Interest to Sealing Men.

Japanese papers received by the Northern Pacific liner Tacoma contain the following notice which will be read with interest by all identified with the sealing industry:

Masters and owners of British vessels are, by instruction of Her Majesty's Government, hereby warned that vessels attempting to pursue seals or fur otters in the Russian territorial waters without special license, are liable to seizure and confiscation, and go at their own risk. (Signed) JAMES TROUP,
British Consulate, H.B.M.'s Consul.
Yokohama, December 10, 1892.

Inquest To-day.

The brief account of the suicide of Gunner Nolan, of "C" Battery, just as the chimes were ringing in the new year, caused much surprise and comment in the city, the occurrence being looked upon as particularly unfortunate. Coroner Hasell was notified of the suicide and a post mortem examination has been made. The inquest will be held this morning and on Wednesday the remains will be interred. The funeral will start from the barracks at 9 o'clock and from the R. C. Cathedral at 10.

Callers at Government House.

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Dewdney were at home all yesterday afternoon and received a large number of callers, who took advantage of the annual custom to pay their respects and wish the new occupants of Carey Castle a happy New Year and many returns of the day. The list of callers was considerably larger than usual. The visitors were presented by Mr. Herbert Stanton and by Mr. E. A. Jacob, who arrived from Ottawa lately to take the office of private secretary.

An American Opinion.

A Washington (D.C.) dispatch of yesterday says: Surprise was expressed in the Government departments at the result of the trial held at Victoria, B.C., of sealing vessels seized in Behring sea during the past season. From telegraphic dispatches it is learned that the British schooners seized by the American naval vessels and turned over to the British admiral for trial, were both released. No pretence was made that they had not violated the *modus vivendi*, but various excuses were advanced for their discharge. This is a repetition of the experience of last year and in marked contrast with the conduct of the United States authorities, as the American vessels seized for violating the *modus vivendi* were vigorously prosecuted in the United States court at Sitka.

The First Columbian Coin.

Wychoff, Seamans & Benedict, manufacturers of the Remington typewriters, received a dispatch a few days ago from President Higinbotham, of the World's Columbian Exposition, advising them that their bid of $10,000 for the first Columbian half-dollar issued from the mint was accepted, and that the coin would be delivered to them. There has been much speculation as to what the Remington company proposes to do with this coin when it gets it. The statement of an evening paper to the effect that it would be able to offer the first 10,000 coins does not include the one sold to Wychoff, Seamans & Benedict. Theirs will be accompanied by a sworn statement from the mint that it is actually the first one coined. This is said to be the highest price ever paid for a single coin, and will enhance the value of the whole issue.

Temperance Receptions.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union gave a most successful and enjoyable reception to their many friends and the public generally, in the Y. M. C. A. rooms yesterday. The parlors and lecture rooms were thrown open at 11 a. m., and from that time until five o'clock in the afternoon a steady stream of visitors passed the hospitable reception committee and were invited to partake of the abundant refreshments. This committee was composed of Mrs. Ernest Hall, Mrs Weir, Miss Munsey, Mrs. Humber, Mrs. Spofford, Mrs. Goodacre, Mrs. Wm. Grant, Mrs. Corchoran, Mrs. Shakespeare, Mr. S. Reid and Mr. A. Lee. In connection with these, the regular Y. M. C. A. reception committee did good work in seeing that all were provided for. Over 700 guests were entertained.

During the afternoon a short musical programme was rendered under the supervision of Miss Munsey and Mrs. Corchoran. Everyone was made to feel at home, and it is safe to say that all who attended spent a very pleasant time.

The I. O. G. T. also tendered a public reception in the Temperance Hall on Pandora Avenue, yesterday. The committee on arrangements and reception did good work, and a cheery and happy half-hour was added to the day's enjoyment for several hundred guests who dropped in from time to time to greet the gallant Templars and partake of their hospitality.

Skating Pavilion Social Dance.

To-night, after the usual skating, will be a dance. Admission tickets 50 cents, ladies free, skates 10 cents extra. Bantly family orchestra in attendance.

Uncle Tom's Cabin.

Sutton's Double Uncle Tom's Cabin Company drew a large audience at the People's. There were the two Topsies, two Marks and four donkeys. This old favorite was well rendered, and some excellent songs and specialties were worked in. The specialties alone are worth the price of admission. Little Rosebud as Eva is the most talented child artist on the stage.—Daily Journal, Lincoln.

The above company appear at the Victoria Friday and Saturday of this week. *

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Oh, what nice cakes you have for New Year's dinner! where did you get them? Why I baked them in the Majestic Steel Range that Thomas bought me for a Xmas present from McLENNAN & McFEELY. *

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PLAYED TO A DRAW.

Seattle and Victoria Have an Association Match on the Caledonian Grounds.

The Visitors Put Up a Good Game Which Fifteen Hundred Spectators Appreciate.

Not less than 1,500 spectators were on the Caledonian grounds yesterday afternoon to see what was promised to be one of the best football games of the season. It was the international match between Seattle and Victoria, and the boys from the Sound, remembering their defeat on Saturday at Nanaimo, were there to play their best to recover the lost laurels. The weather was of the typical football brand, not too cold for the bleaching boards and not too warm for the players, who had to keep moving at a pace faster than a walk in order to keep up the circulation.

The home team lined up in red and blue jackets, looking in first-class shape, their visitors being garbed in a more sober blue jersey, with the word "Seattle" across the front, and a small American flag underneath showing the nationality. Taken man for man, the home team was considerably the heavier. The "blues" were favorites with a few, but men reasoned with themselves that after the hard game at Nanaimo, the visitors would show up a little stiff.

So they did, and in the first half of the game were distinctively outplayed except in team work in which they showed the Victoria's some very nice little points which the home team will do well to remember. When half time was called and goals were changed, the games stood three to one in favor of Victoria, but with nearly all the players more or less winded.

After time was called, it was soon seen that the Seattle blood was warming up and the great lubricator exercise was getting in its fine work. The excellent team play was still maintained and to it was added a very considerable brilliancy from the dash and vigor of individual work. Presently a goal was scored for Seattle and there was but one more needed, with just a bare five minutes to get it in.

They got it. Some neat passes down the field; slumpy work by a couple of the Victoria boys and "corners," which it seemed could not be avoided, did the work, and the game was declared a draw, the time whistle sounding about fifteen seconds after the last game was scored.

The match was one of the most friendly ever seen on the grounds. There were no accidents or mishaps, and not the suspicion of a show of temper all the way through. Disputes were out of the question, and decisions which were sometimes close, went now one way and now the other with generous fair play. The visitors put up a hard game. They have evidently the staying power, and it was predicted by the "one who knows" that fifteen minutes more would have made the score tell a different tale. As it was, everyone was pleased, and when later on the visitors were dined at the Victoria hotel, many kind words and greetings were exchanged. The return match will be awaited with interest.

THE TEAMS.

Victoria.		Seattle.
Alexander	Goal	Sims
Howard	Backs	Duncan
Glen	Backs	R. Wark
Howard	Half Backs	White
Drake	Half Backs	H. Wark
Fowkes	Half Backs	Williams
Goward	Forwards	McKenzie
Allan	Forwards	Hein
Cartwright	Forwards	Bruce
Spring	Forwards	Beggs
Selkirk	Forwards	McCann

Referee—G. McCann.
Umpire—G. Fairley.

Prohibited Amusement.

A gang of disorderly small boys have been amusing themselves with target practice in the neighborhood of Maplehurst lately, and the police are now on their track.

Sailing for Southern Seas.

H.M.S. Hyacinth is expected to leave on an eighteen months cruise in the South seas about the first of March. Her gallant officers and men will be missed by Victorians.

Did Not Appear.

Edward Shanks, who was summoned to appear in the Police court yesterday, failed to put in an appearance. A bench warrant was accordingly issued for his arrest. It is believed he has left town.

The Married Ladies Entertain.

The second social dance given within the past week or so by a number of married ladies, was held in Harmony hall last evening, there being a good gathering. A suitable programme of music was rendered by the Bantly Family orchestra, and before midnight all were seated around three or four large tables at the back of the hall, where an appetizing supper was enjoyed.

Pictures and Music.

Although not largely attended, the entertainment given by Mr. Mortimer in Philharmonic Hall last evening was one which was highly appreciated by those present, as the stereopticon views presented were very attractive and interesting, being all well worth seeing. While the exhibition was in progress appropriate music was rendered by Mr. Taylor, a piper of considerable ability.

Y. M. I. Quarterly Meeting.

The Y. M. I. held their first meeting in their new hall last evening. The old procathedral has been refitted and remodelled until it makes a very attractive and cosy meeting place, and the members feel proud of their new quarters and made several remarks to that effect during the course of the evening. The meeting was the regular quarterly one, and the greater part of the time was consumed in listening to the various committee reports. The books show Seghers Council to be in a flourishing condition. The final arrangements were completed for the smoking concert, to be held next Monday evening in the new hall.

Do Not Miss

Reading this item, as Lange & Co. did not succeed in selling their business for the figure agreed to to their Eastern friend, nor in disposing of all of their stock this Christmas to the public. And as the building wherein they have conducted business for the last 17 years is to be destroyed shortly and a new one erected in place, under the circumstances Lange & Co. are obliged to re-open in their own place, No. 88 Douglas street, opposite Odd Fellows' hall. Reduced sales will continue until goods which are left are sold. Any one wishing to secure a good going business established since 30 years, can do so at a very reasonable figure. And the new premises can be rented at a moderate rate. *

The Star Almanac for sale by T. N. Hibben & Co.

COAL EXPORTS.

List of Foreign Shipments of Coal During December by the New Vancouver Coal Co.

	Tons.
Dec. 2—Str. Tyee, for Port Townsend	32
Dec. 5—Str. Holyoke, for Port Townsend	75
Dec. 5—Str. Collis, for Port Townsend	40
Dec. 6—Ship W. F. Babcock, for San Francisco	3,463
Dec. 6—Str. Tyee, for Port Townsend	90
Dec. 7—Bk. Alden Besse, for Kahului, H. I.	1,150
Dec. 7—Str. Wanderer, for Pt. Townsend	26
Dec. 8—Str. Sea Lion, for Port Townsend	43
Dec. 8—Str. Tyee, for Port Townsend	22
Dec. 10—Sp. Commodore, for Wilmington	3,069
Dec. 10—Bk. Sea King, for San Francisco	2,256
Dec. 12—Str. Collis, for Port Townsend	49
Dec. 14—Str. Holyoke, for Port Townsend	58
Dec. 14—Bk. Wilna, for Wilmington	2,323
Dec. 16—Str. Wanderer, for Pt Townsend	58
Dec. 16—Bk. Coryphene, for San Francisco	1,151
Dec. 17—Str. Romulus, for San Francisco	4,056
Dec. 22—Bk. Carrollton, for Wilmington, Cal	2,302
Dec. 24—Str. Wilmington, for Portland, Ore	157
Dec. 26—Str. Sea Lion, for Pt. Townsend	33
Dec. 27—Str. Holyoke, for Pt. Townsend	33
Dec. 27—Str. Haytian Republic, for Portland, Ore	147
Dec. 28—Str. Bawnmore, for San Francisco	3,015
Dec. 28—Ship India, for San Francisco	2,012
Dec. 28—Str. Tacoma, for Port Townsend	26
Dec. 30—Str. Jeanie, for San Francisco	1,306
Dec. 30—Ship Oriental, for San Francisco	2,586
Dec. 30—Str. Tacoma, for Port Townsend	20
Total	29,571

The Silver Crown Mines.

The fame of British Columbia mines continues to go abroad through the land, especially on the American side of the line. Mr. L. L. Patrick, superintendent of the Silver Crown mine, Fairview, B.C., who is stopping for the present in Seattle, has to answer hosts of questions regarding that section. The ore is free milling gold, run from $15 to $77 per ton, and in almost inexhaustible quantities. The mines of Fairview are owned chiefly by an English syndicate, which has spent an immense sum in developing the camp. They expect to have a hundred stamps working within the present year. The Okanagan Falls will be utilized to run electric motors, which will generate 5,000 horse power, to be transmitted twelve miles to the camp. The Canadian Pacific is building a steamer on Okanagan Lake and others are being arranged for to ply on Dog Lake during the summer.

Blood Poisoning

Mrs. Mary E. O'Fallon, a very intelligent lady of Piqua, Ohio, was poisoned while assisting physicians at an autopsy 5 years ago, and soon **terrible ulcers** broke out on her head, arms, tongue and throat. Her hair all came out. Her husband spent hundreds of dollars without any benefit. She weighed but 78 pounds, and saw no prospect of help. At last she began to take Hood's Sarsaparilla and at once improved; could soon get out of bed and walk. She says, "I became perfectly cured by

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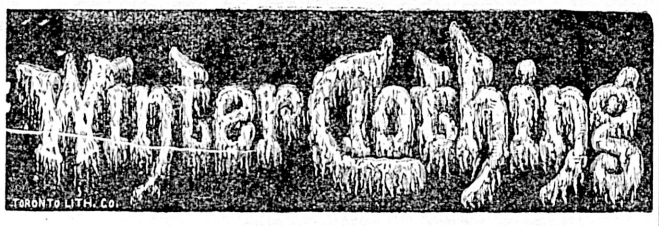

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"BOCCACIO"
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Prices, $1.50, $1.00 and 50c.
A Special Sale of Commutation Books of six seats, good for any opera, and giving purchaser the right to first choice of seats, will commence one week before the regular single ticket sale at Jamieson's Book Store. The prices of these books are $7.50.
Sale of Season Books will commence Wednesday, Dec. 28th, at 10 a.m. de28-5t

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—OF—
KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS
—ON—
Friday, January 27th, 1893
Far West Lodge, No. 1; Sunset Lodge, No. 10; and Victoria Division, No. 2, Uniform Rank, will hold their Annual Ball at ASSEMBLY HALL on the above date.
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SKATING PAVILION DANCE.
The skating Pavilion management have decided to give a social dance after the usual skating on Tuesday evening next. Music by the Bantly Family. Dancing to begin at 9 30. Admission 50c., ladies free, skates 10c. extra.
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THE EASTERN QUESTION

Again Looming Up and Great Britain and Russia May Soon Be at War.

Both Sides Have Made Ready—The Muscovite Claims—Russia and Roumania.

LONDON, Dec. 31.—Recently a reporter had interviews with an Anglo-Indian political officer now home on furlough. His mission has always been on India's frontier, and from years of close observation he is convinced that the moment for the crucial struggle between England and Russian in Asia is rapidly approaching. The impression that it must certainly come is, he declares, held by the leaders of both political parties in England, who relax no effort in their preparation for the emergency. The stragetic railways in the north of India are being pushed toward completion with unexampled speed, while the construction of roads on the Russian side continues without ceasing. My informant believes that Russia will never be able to win the mountain passes.

A recent article to the St. Petersburg Novoe Vremya says frankly that it should be understood that in the recent collision in the Pamir territory there was no question of a scientific expedition. What was at stake was the consolidation of Russia's position in a country which, although belonging to the Russian empire since 1875, had not been occupied. The supreme power in Pamir was transferred to Russia with the khanate of Khokand. That could be easily proved by Russian diplomacy. It was only in 1872 that the zones of influence of Russia, Afghanistan and East India were settled between the cabinets of St. Petersburg and London. During his latest scientific expedition Captain Gromtchevski discovered that beyond the Pamir plateau, to the south of the Transalai mountain range, there was only a small strip of territory. The rest was already occupied by Chinese and Afghan outposts. The English also made extensive reconnoissances. All these circumstances induced Russia to assert her right by sending troops and hoisting the Russian flag. The Novoe Vremya believes, however, that the incident will soon be closed and that beyond doubt the English Government will come forward with a proposal for the amicable partition of the Pamir.

As regards the Ameer of Afghanistan in a decisive struggle with Russia he has enough to do with his own domestic affairs. It would be very difficult for him to claim any right to the Western Pamir territory, as the occupation of Badakshan was already contrary to the existing treaties. Finally the Novoe Vremya remarks that it would be still more difficult for the English to formulate their pretensions, as they have not yet succeeded in establishing their position in the khanate of the Himalaya, between the Pamir and Cashmere. There is no doubt entertained in London that the Panama revelations have estranged Russia from France and have facilitated the negotiations between Germany and Russia for a new tariff convention. The prospect of a revival of the historic Russo-German friendship is believed by German optimists to be assured in case the revelations in France be properly exploited by Gen. von Werder, the new German ambassador in St. Petersburg.

An incessant correspondence by telegraph has been in progress between the Berlin foreign office and the St. Petersburg embassy during the last four days. And it is believed in Berlin that the biting criticisms passed by the Russian press on the Panama revelations are the ultimate results of the information thus indirectly conveyed to the Czar. The report that the Austrian army is to be increased by some 45,000 men, contemporaneously with the introduction of the two-year service term, causes considerable satisfaction in Berlin and Rome. If France were not completely upset the report would cause corresponding dissatisfaction in Paris. Emperor William, during his last visit to Schoenbrunn, is said to have talked plainly with Emperor Franz Joseph as to the immediate necessity of preparing to fight the next war without Italy. He pointed out that Germany would do the lion's share of the preparation by adding 70,000 men to her standing army, but could not do it all. In view of Prince Bismarck's attacks upon Austria and his accusation that she was unloading her burdens on Germany, Emperor William said it would be difficult for Caprivi to push the army bill proposing such an increase through the Reichstag, unless the members were convinced that Austria was really to make an equal effort. In consequence of this plea the Austrian Government has allowed the present report to go out in order that Chancellor von Caprivi may have at once the moral support desired, although the actual increase in the Austrian army will not be proposed for three or four months.

In connection with Austria's increase of her army and the renewed talk of war, it is interesting to note Russia's effort to pick a quarrel with Roumania. The Russian Gagarine Co.'s steamer Olga attempted to force the quarantine at Sulina on October 29 last and was fired on by the Roumanian guardship. M. de Fonton, the Russian minister at Bucharest, has just presented a further note to the Roumanian Government, which states that owing to the heavy sea in the roadstead the Olga was obliged to run into harbor. She did not attempt to force the quarantine, but simply sought safe anchorage, which in such circumstances is a recognized right. It is difficult to reconcile this assertion with the meteorolgical reports from Sulina, which show that on the day in question there was almost a dead calm, and it is no secret that the Russian vice-consul at Sulina was indiscreet enough openly to prophesy an attempt to force the quarantine. From this it is concluded in Bucharest that the incident was purposely created in the hope that it would enable Russia to raise the question of Roumania's right to establish quarantine in Danube ports, and this conclusion is confirmed by the note of the Russian government to the powers proposing that sanitary experts should be added to the Danube commission, which then should supervise the quarantine regulations for the lower Danube.

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A young widow who was left penniless when her husband died is credited with having originated the scheme. She had always been noted among her acquaintances for the excellence of her needlework, and she proceeded to turn that accomplishment to a useful purpose.

She went out and solicited orders and devoted three days to the work. She began timidly, and with little hope of success; but she was received kindly wherever she went, and was agreeably surprised to find at the close of the three days' tramping that she had secured orders for more work than she could do in a month. She hired two girls to assist her, and delivered some of the work the following week. Now she solicits orders and collects every day until noon, and spends the remainder of the day superintending the work of the girls at her home.

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ELECTRICITY ON BATTLEFIELDS

To Be Used in the Search for Wounded After the Darkness Sets In.

The ubiquity of electricity is becoming almost proverbial. From the "brightest spot on earth" to the blood-stained battlefields is rather a far cry, but there is no end to the application of electricity. A recent telegram from Austria described some experiments of great interest which have recently been carried out successfully there. The difficulty of searching for the wounded on the night after a great battle has been one which has long occupied the attention of military reformers, and the army medical service in Austria has been endeavoring to determine how far the electric light may be utilized for this humane end. The value of powerful search-lights with reflectors has been proved in naval affairs, and at Suakim and elsewhere soldiers have found them very effective on open ground. They would be equally effective, under similar conditions, for assisting in picking up the wounded, but when the battle has raged over a wide extent of country, or when the fighting has occurred amidst woods and brushwood, the use of this class of light is attended with difficulty. The need for a special form of light for this purpose having been recognized, the Austrian medical service have been experimenting with portable electric lanterns fed by secondary batteries contained in the knapsacks of the men who carry them. These experiments, concludes the Electrical Review, have been carried out under conditions as nearly as possible similar to those which would occur in actual warfare, and the results were so encouraging that it is highly probable that the portable "search-light" will be taken up in earnest by the military authorities in other countries.

Trades Unions in France.

In France trades-unionism was first recognized and legalized by the government in 1884. In the seven years which have since elapsed the number of trade societies has reached the surprising total of 1,284. This rapid growth is doubtless due in no small measure to the fact that every trade society in France is a benefit society, and makes an allowance to each member in case of sickness. It is computed that the number of trades-unionists enrolled in these 1,284 societies number something like 4,000,000, or about half the laboring classes proper. The latest step in the recognition of trades-unionism in France is the establishment in every important industrial center of a labor bureau. This is a building—in some cases especially erected for the purpose—which is placed at the disposal of the district trade societies by the municipality, which not only grants the use of the hall rent free and provides all needful appliances, but makes an annual grant to cover working expenses.

A Mammoth Microscope.

The construction of an immense microscope at Munich is announced, intended for projecting images upon a screen, and electricity is used not only for producing the necessary light, but for regulating the forces, centering the specimens to be examined and cooling the apparatus. The magnifying power of the instrument can scarcely be imagined; that is, the arrangement as stated is for magnifying to the enormous extent of eleven thousand diameters under ordinary conditions of application: but, by the single immersion of the lenses in vaseline oil, more powerful objectives can be used, with the capacity to magnify to sixteen thousand diameters.

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Signed,
EXECUTIVE V. T. U.

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Munroe Miller.
Victoria Printing Company.
Waterson's.
B. C. Commercial Journal.
Victoria Home Journal.

Victoria, Dec. 20, 1892. de22-12t

NOTICE

Is hereby given that a shareholders' meeting of the Okell & Morris Fruit Preserving Company, Limited, will be held at the offices of Messrs. Morrow, Holland & Co., Broad street, of this city on Wednesday, February 1st, at 7.30 p. m. Business, balance sheet for last year; alteration of annual meeting; extension of factory. Members of the company are requested to attend.

SAMUEL MOSSCROP OKELL,
jan1-3wks Secretary Treasurer.

NOTICE---MUNICIPAL ACT, 1892.

Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Victoria, for a transfer of my license to sell wine, beer and spirituous liquors by retail on the premises at the corner of Fort and Douglas streets, known as the Royal Saloon, to Stephen Whitley of Victoria.

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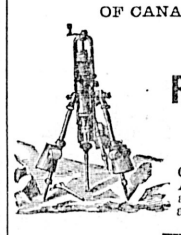

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Empress of Japan ..	Oct. 29, 1892	Nov. 13, 1892
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Empress of India ...	Dec. 21, "	Jan. 8, 1893
Empress of Japan ..	Jan. 18, 1893	Feb. 6, "
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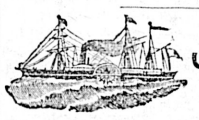

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4.30 p.m.	Ar	110	.. Victoria† ..	M1	Lv	8.30 p.m.

PORT TOWNSEND MAIL ROUTE.

	Lv	M1			Ar	
11.00 p.m.	Lv	28	.. *Seattle ...	58	Ar	3.00 p.m.
12.30 a.m.	Lv	39	.Pt. Madison.	47	Lv	2.10 p.m.
	Lv	45	.. Kingston ..	41	Lv	
3.00 a.m.	Lv	49	. Pt. Gamble .	21	Lv	11.00 a.m.
4.00 a.m.	Lv	77	. Pt. Ludlow .	13	Lv	10.00 a.m.
6.00 a.m.	Ar	86	Pt Townsend	M1	Lv	8.00 a.m.

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Time Table No. 17, takes effect April 1, 1892.

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M. QUAD'S SKETCHES.

Clearing up a Mystery of the Overland Trail —"Which One?"

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In the Spring of 1858 a party of emigrants, numbering thirty-six people, left Council Bluffs, Ia., for California, in charge of a guide named Frayne. It has always been referred to as "the Frayne tragedy," and the names of many of the people, with a full account of the start, can be found in a book published in 1864 entitled "Heroes and Martyrs of the Great West." The account as there published follows the party no farther than Fort Kearny, but says the entire expedition was attacked by Indians in Colorado and every soul massacred.

During the Indian war of 1867-8 the the mysteries surrounding the Frayne party were cleared away, and it was in this work that I had a hand. In the fall of 1867 I was attached to the garrison of Fort Laramie as a government scout. The next spring, while en route to Fort Fetterman, seventy-five miles to the northwest, I got the first clew to the fate of the party. As none of them had ever reached California or returned or been heard of by letter, it was of course to be supposed that all had been wiped out, but as to where and when was only guesswork. Both forts were practically besieged, and the Indians had possession of the country as far east as Fort Kearny. I left Laramie an hour after nightfall, with a steady rain coming down and the night so dark that I could not distinguish an object five feet away. There were two routes to Fetterman. One was to keep up the valley between Twin mountains and cross the north fork of the Platte river opposite the fort; the other was to cross the river at Laramie and keep to the east of the eastern Twin and cross the mountain at Hatcher's pass. The latter route was twenty miles the longer, but I selected it for that reason. The Indians would argue that all couriers would take the shorter route. After getting across the river there was nothing to do but to give my horse his head and trust to luck. He couldn't be expected to know my destination, but after being headed to the northwest he was likely to keep that direction unless interfered with. The greatest danger was in the first ten miles. I dared not push him faster than a walk, and after the first ten minutes I could not tell whether we were going east, west or north.

It was 10 o'clock before I dismounted, sat down with a poncho over my head and struck a light to look at my watch and compass. The horse had borne a little too much to the north. At midnight I got another look at the compass, and he had kept the exact course. The rain now ceased, the sky lighted up, and I made fair progress until it was evident that morning was at hand. I had made a good twenty-five miles and must now find a retreat for the day and finish the rest of the journey next night. To have attempted to push through by daylight would have been taking too many chances, as war parties were out in every direction. As soon as the light was strong enough to reveal my surroundings I rode into the foothills and pushed along to the base of the mountain itself. By sunrise I found a sheltered cove and went into camp for the day. After a bite to eat I turned to and slept until 1 o'clock in the afternoon, and I had just woke up when the singular conduct of my horse attracted my attention. The cove was formed like a bay. It was not over 200 feet wide at its mouth and extended back about 500 feet. Here and there its sides could be scaled, but at the far end the wall was almost plumb up and down and a hundred feet high. I had camped on the right hand side of the cove and about half way of its depth. The horse was at the back end, with his neck stretched out to smell of something on the ground. I at first thought it was a serpent, but as I got up the object appeared to be a wagon wheel. A minute later I reached the spot to find that it was a wheel, or the larger part of one, as a portion had been burned. Such a thing could have belonged only to an emigrant wagon, and I immediately began to search for other relics.

While the spring grass had just begun to start, the earth in all sheltered spots was covered by a mat of the old grass. It was a foot deep here, but as I went kicking around I soon turned up many things. In the course of an hour I had found enough ironwork to satisfy me that six or eight wagons had been burned in the cove. I likewise found some pieces of cook stoves, quite a lot of crockery, two axes and a lot of bones of horses. I had heard of the Frayne tragedy, but had always understood that it was supposed to have occurred in Colorado. I was now in Wyoming and at least 300 miles to the north of the route the party was said to have taken. It was easy to guess what had happened in the cove. A party of emigrants, probably seeking for a pass through the mountains, had been driven in there by the Indians. None but Indians would have burned the wagons. I could not find bones enough to represent over four or five horses, and it followed that the others must have been driven off. As to human bones, there were none at all. As I searched about my horse wandered down to the mouth of the cove, and it was about 3 o'clock, and I was still kicking about in the grass when I heard a snort of alarm from the horse and looked up to see about twenty Indians on their ponies. They had trailed me in and thought they had me for sure, but at their first yell I rushed for the right hand wall, where trees and bushes were growing clear down to the grass. It was tough climbing, but I was in a great hurry just then to get somewhere and not overparticular as to the route. The whole gang came galloping up and opened fire on me, but I was then forty feet up the bank and had the shelter of a mass of rock. Had half a dozen of them dismounted at once and pursued me I should have been captured, but they waited to make sure they had not fallen into a trap, and that saved me. As I ascended I bore to the left, and before any one took up the chase I was on the heights at the back end of the cove. A lot more Indians came in, and I counted sixty-six of them as I halted to get breath. They got my saddle and blanket, but nothing more. As the first party came charging in my horse flanked out to the left of them and reached the plains and headed back for Laramie. He arrived at the fort during the night in good shape.

From what I saw and heard I was led to believe that at least twenty of the Indians pushed up the bank after me. After reaching the crest I kept to the north, and as there was a dense growth of trees and bushes, with huge bowlders scattered about, they had little show to track me. I had not gone a quarter of a mile when the ground began to dip from both east and west into a chasm running north and south. It was a wild looking spot, but just the place for me under the circumstances, and I descended into it until I could go no deeper. While crouched on the bottom I heard the Indians passing and repassing on both banks, but none attempted the descent. I remained quiet for about an hour and then began to work my way down the rift to the north. It has been measured since and found to be a quarter of a mile long. I reached the north end to find that it dropped into a still deeper rift, and that the latter bent to the east and came out into a cove similar to the one I had camped in, but a mile to the north of it. It was sundown when I looked out into this cove, and at its mouth were half a dozen Indians seated around a campfire, with their ponies grazing near them. My hope had been to get out and finish the rest of my journey on foot, but I certainly could not get out by that route, and it had now become too late to hope to make my way out of the rift and descend the mountain farther north.

In the emergency my only safe plan was to retire up the rift and find a good place to pass the night. I kept clambering back until I had quite reached the south end, and then I felt it would be safe to start a fire. The bottom of the drift was littered with leaves and branches, and I soon had a cheerful blaze going. Soon after the fire was lighted two great wolves suddenly rushed past me, going north. They had come out of the mass of rocks at the south end. Thinking there was a den there in which others might be in hiding, I made a torch that I might inspect the place. Under a tangle of trees which had fallen from above was the mouth of a cave. It was rather small at first, but I rolled aside some of the rocks and found a hole almost large enough to drive a wagon into. This hole led to the south, or toward the cave where I had first seen the Indians. Once fairly inside I could figure it out pretty plainly. The rift had once been a part of the same cave, but the roof had fallen in. The north entrance led into the deeper ravine or canyon. Where the south entrance was I proposed to find out. Gathering material for three or four torches, I pushed my way along. For perhaps a hundred feet there was little change in the dimensions. Then I came upon a great chamber measuring fifty feet by thirty. Here the roof was from nine to fifteen feet high, the walls rough and ragged, and the floor very uneven except right in the center. I continued straight across it until my way was blocked by a great bowlder. The atmosphere was dry and the air sweet and pure, but the darkness was so thick that my torch cast only a small circle of light. I spent about an hour bringing in limbs and brush to build a big fire in the middle of the chamber. When it got to blazing, so that I could see every portion of the chamber, I got a great shock.

The cavern was a veritable charnel house. There was not such a thing as a perfect skeleton, but there were hundreds and hundreds of human bones lying about, each one as white as ivory and as clean as a billiard ball. There were also seven separate and distinct heaps, which turned out to be clothing, crockery, cooking utensils, etc. Hats, caps and boots were lying about, and against one of the walls were seven rifles. Near by were three axes and two small kegs of powder. The outfit had been provided with spades, shovels and picks; but these, minus their handles and badly rusted, I had kicked out of the grass outside. There were four or five wooden chests among the baggage in the chamber. I pried these open one after another to find them full of clothing or bedding and family keepsakes. In nearly all of them were old letters or account books, and I was not yet through with the first trunk when I knew that I had solved the mystery surrounding the Frayne party. It had been made up of families from Sac City, Boone and Jefferson, and I had heard the names of most of them mentioned. In a box which had belonged to Frayne himself I found five letters and an account book. On three of the trunks were spots where the wolves had gnawed off candle grease. I likewise found where candles had been placed on the walls. I did not finish my inspection that night, but at 10 o'clock fixed a small fire to keep the wild beasts out and lay down and slept till morning. Then I made a thorough search to see if any of the doomed people had left any record behind them. On the floor of the cave I found a book which had been used as an account book by John Martin, a farmer from near Sac City. He had kept a sort of diary from April 28, the day of the start, up to the same day in June two months later. His jottings were very brief, but spoke of dissensions and of losing their way.

It was probably some time early in July when the party arrived at the cove. They had perhaps decided to rest there for two or three days, as there was plenty of fuel, water and grass. They were discovered and attacked by Indians. There must have been an entrance to the cave on that side, and when they found the Indians too strong for them they retreated into it, leaving their wagons to be captured and burned. How that entrance came to be blocked I could not discover, but it looked as if a great landslide had occurred. The north entrance probably did not exist at that time, but was opened by the convulsion of nature which caved the roof in. The people had carried flour, meal, beans, pork, coffee, tea and sugar into the cave, but there was not a drop of water to be had. I hunted over the place foot by foot, but not even a damp spot could be found. They had perished one by one simply of thirst, though it may have been that the supply of air was also cut off when the mouth of the cavern was closed. When a portion of the roof fell in the wild beasts had found a chance to get at the bodies. Each and every person had probably been dead for months or years when that happened.

That afternoon the Indians gave up looking for me and rode off to the south, and next day I reached Fort Fetterman. It was some months after the Custer massacre before we made up a party to visit the cave. We found things about as I had left them. In the cave and ravine we found bones enough to represent thirty-two people. The other four might have died on the way out or been captured by Indians in the fight. We brought away most of the goods, and a great share of the relics was sent back to friends in Iowa. On a closer inspection it was discovered that considerable work had been done toward digging out. At one side of the chamber was a ledge or shelf, and the men had stood on this and dug upward, but before they had accomplished much thirst had robbed them of their strength, and they had flung themselves down to die.

"WHICH ONE?"

On this night we had made our camp —Joe and I—on the west side of the Salmon River mountains and on the banks of a creek falling into the west fork of the Salmon river. Joe was a half breed boy about eighteen years old —an honest, trusty fellow and a reliable guide—and just then we had nothing to fear from the Indians.

I had been feverish all day, and when I turned in, with my feet to the fire and the stars above me at about 8 o'clock, I was little bit flighty. The last I remembered was hearing Joe collecting fuel for the night. His bed had been prepared about six feet from mine, and he had told me that a whisper would awaken him if I needed him during the night.

I awoke about midnight with the fever gone and all my senses peculiarly alert. It seemed as if I could hear better than ever in my life before. Just above us was a riffle in the creek, and I heard the waters babbling and caught a splash now and then as the fish ran up or down. I heard a noise in the forest and knew that a dead limb had fallen. A wolf barked, and I figured it out that he was about half a mile away. There was a rustling among the leaves, and I said to myself that a mole was running about.

Step! Step! Step!

If my head had not been in contact with the earth I could not have made out the sound. It was faint and light. The horses were lying down, as I knew by the sound of their breathing, and when I lifted my head a bit I saw that Joe was wrapped in his blanket.

Step! Step! Step!

Ah, I have it now! It is the wolf whose bark I heard five minutes ago. The dull glow of our campfire has caught his eye, and he is prowling about to investigate. He is gaunt and shambling, and at this season of the year his fur is stained and ragged. He skulks and dodges, advances and retreats, and now and then his lip drops down to reveal his fangs. There is no fear of him. Even if there were a dozen they would not attack. If I were to sit upright this fellow would drop his tail and make a bolt for it and not stop running for a mile.

Did I feel the earth jar beside me? No! It there was any movement at all it was caused by one of the horses raising his head to catch the scent of the wolf. The movement of a horse lying down or getting up can be detected by a man in his blankets a hundred feet away. Was that noise made by something being dragged along the earth? Of course not! A horse when sound asleep will often move one of his feet with a scraping motion. A bear may be prowling about, and his skuff! skuff! skuff! would account for the peculiar sound.

"Joe! Joe!"

The fever has left my throat as dry as tinder, and I suddenly thirst. It won't take Joe over a minute to fill our coffeepot with ice cold water at the spring. I don't like to break in on his sleep, but he can make up for it to-morrow when left in charge of the camp.

"Joe! Joe!"

He sleeps as lightly as a fox, and Indian-like is awake every two hours to see that the fire is all right. I have called twice and yet failed to arouse him. The night is a bit chilly, and he may have wrapped his head in the blanket. I will sit up and see. But where is Joe? There is the spot where he made his bed, but he is not there. I can see clear around the fire, but Joe's form is not in sight. He is not after fuel—he is not at the spring.

"Joe! Joe! Joe!"

I am on my feet as I call. No answer. He would hear me if half a mile away, but there is no response. I go to the spring and drink my fill, and return and heap fuel on the fire and lie down again. Joe is a queer sort of boy. He may have gone down to the Salmon to set a couple of traps, or he may have seen Indians pass and followed them. There is no cause to worry.

It is sunshine as I open my eyes again. I sit up and look around. Joe is not here. I stand up and shout "Coo-e-ee!" but there is no reply. I look down upon the spot where he made his bed, and there is a trail as of some burden being dragged. I follow it, and ten rods away I find pieces of his blanket and blood on the leaves; at twenty rods the rest of his blanket, torn and bloody. Through a thicket and on the far side of a log I come upon his dead body, or the ghastly remains of it.

While I was lying wide awake, as I have described to you, a panther crept up, sprang upon the sleeping boy and carried him away. I heard only the faint noises I have mentioned, none of them giving the slightest cause for alarm—none of them loud enough to have aroused a sleeping warrior. The boy had made no cry, no struggle. Softly as he had alighted the great cat had struck him dead with one blow of his paw. Two of us lay there motionless and helpless. The panther had his choice. Who can guess what determined it? M. QUAD.

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Christmas Turkeys.

Gordon's Xmas poultry will arrive by the Wednesday boat, and those who wish to secure a choice Xmas turkey should leave their orders early as the stock will no doubt go very rapidly. tf

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NOTICE

HIS HONOUR the Lieutenant-Governor in Council has been pleased to make the following Rule of Court:—

1. There shall be a vacation of the Supreme Court from Saturday the 24th instant, until Tuesday the 3rd day of January, 1893, both dates inclusive.

During such period no pleadings shall be delivered or actions tried.

By Command.

JAMES BAKER, Provincial Secretary

Provincial Secretary's Office, 21st December, 1892. dec24-td

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, 19th December, 1892.

SATURDAY the 24th, Monday the 26th, and Tuesday the 27th, instant, and Monday the 2nd, and Tuesday the 3rd, proximo, will be observed as holidays at the Public Offices, which will be closed on those days.

JAMES BAKER, Provincial Secretary.

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AMENDED NOTICE.

TABLE

Showing the Dates and Places of Courts of Assize, Nisi Prius, and Oyer and Terminer, for the Year 1892.

SPRING ASSIZES.

(On Vancouver Island.)

Victoria	Monday	16th May
Nanaimo	Tuesday	7th June

(On Mainland.)

New Westminster	Wednesday	1st June
Kamloops	Monday	6th June
Clinton	Monday	13th June

FALL ASSIZE.

(On Mainland.)

Richfield	Monday	12th Sept
Clinton	Wednesday	28th Sept
Kamloops	Monday	3rd Oct
Lytton	Monday	10th Oct
New Westminster	Wednesday	9th Nov

(On Vancouver Island

Victoria	Monday	28th Nov
Nanaimo	Tuesday	6th Dec

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Miles	STATIONS.	Miles	No. 1 Passenger Daily, READ UP.	No. 3 Passenger Saturdays & Sundays.	No. 2 Passenger Daily.	No. 4 Passenger Saturdays & Sundays.
			GOING SOUTH.		GOING NORTH.	
			A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
72	VICTORIA	1	Ar 12.25	Ar 5.55	De 8.00	De 2.30
71	RUSSELLS	4	" 12.20	" 5.54	" 8.04	" 2.34
67	ESQUIMALT	11	" 12.11	" 5.44	" 8.14	" 2.44
58	GOLDSTREAM	20	" 11.54	" 5.19	" 8.39	" 3.09
53	SUMMIT SIDING	28	" 11.11	" 4.50	" 9.14	" 3.38
50	SHAWNIGAN LE	31	" 10.55	" 4.21	" 9.34	" 4.04
47	COBBLE HILL	35	" 10.40	" 4.14	" 9.44	" 4.14
43	McPHERSON'S	38	" 10.27	" 3.50	" 9.57	" 4.29
40	KOKSILAH	40	" 10.17	" 3.40	" 10.07	" 4.39
38	DUNCAN'S	43	" 10.12	" 3.44	" 10.12	" 4.44
33	SOMENOS	52	" 10.02	" 3.34	" 10.22	" 4.54
26	CHEMAINUS	59	" 9.45	" 3.25	" 10.40	" 5.12
19	OYSTER BAY	66	" 9.35	" 3.15	" 10.50	" 5.23
5	NANAIMO	73	Ar 9.20	—	Lv 11.05	Lv 5.33
	WELLINGTON	78	De 8.10	De 1.50	Ar 11.55	Ar 6.20

On Saturdays and Sundays

Return Tickets will be issued between all points for a fare and a quarter, good for return not later than Monday.

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The Colonist.

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PERSONALS.

R. G. Gordon, New Westminster, is in town.

J. D. Devlin, J. Collisham, H. C. Sloggath, T. H. Peterson, D. McKenzie and F. Reid, of Nanaimo, are at the Oriental.

W. E. Clement, San Francisco, is at the Oriental, as is also H. Williams, Chemainus.

H. H. Lloyd, Port Townsend, is spending a few days in the city.

Miss J. Mingard, England, was registered at the Driard on Sunday, and left on the following morning on a visit to friends in Nanaimo.

James P. Martin, Montreal, is a guest at the Driard.

G. E. Robertson, Moresby Island, spent the New Year at the Balmoral.

Mrs. R. Beauchamp has gone to San Francisco by the Umatilla to visit her daughter, Mrs. John Muirhead.

Guests at the Hotel Victoria: Walter Stevenson, Nanaimo; J. E. Peterson, Richmond, Va.; H. Rogers, San Francisco; H. M. Martin, Vancouver; Chas. Whitley, Seattle.

C. W. Higgins, of Chicago, confidential agent of Frank Bakeman & Co., arrived from the East by the Kingston last evening, and is the guest of Col. A. J. Kane, Birdcage Walk.

George W. Gardiner, of the Charlottetown, P.E.I., Watchman, is paying the West a visit, and just now is with his Victoria friends.

W. Clemant, of the s. s. Tacoma is at the Oriental.

F. H. Gibson, Vancouver, is a Driard guest.

Miss S. Lingard, England, is a guest at the Driard.

H. H. Cole, Tacoma, is registered at the Driard.

Frank H. Taylor, New York, is among the Driard guests.

Hon. Theodore Davie and Mrs. Davie returned from the Mainland on Sunday evening.

Monument to Jeff Davis.

JACKSON, Miss., Jan. 1.—In this state, as well as all over the South, Monday will be observed as a general contribution day for the raising of funds for the monument to the memory of Jefferson Davis, which it is proposed to erect at Richmond, Va. In November last Governor Stone, ex-Governor Lowry, General Flower and Stephen D. Lee, members of the Mississippi committee for raising funds for the purpose in question, met in this city and agreed that on the first Monday in the new year every resident of Mississippi should be asked to contribute 25 cents or more to the object in question. The proposition met with a hearty response not only in this but in other states, and committees of women as well as of men have been organized in every district of the state, and it is anticipated from the energy and enthusiasm that has been manifested in the movement, that the receipts of money will go a long ways towards completing the monument for the perpetuation of the memory of the greatest figure of the confederacy.

THE RAILROADS.

MORE than half the railroad mileage of the world lies within the borders of the United States.

STATISTICS show that about 1,200 miles of new railroad were built in this country during the first six months of this year.

AN underground railroad about seven miles long and a circular subway of the same length are in course of construction in Glasgow, Scotland.

IT is estimated that the thirty-five railroads which enter Chicago will expend $110,000,000 in increasing and improving their equipment and facilities for transporting world's fair visitors and freight.

A LITTLE MIRTH.

MOTHER—"There, there, Jack! You are too big to cry." Jack—"Ye—yes; and ain't big enough to swear."—Judge.

MANY a man is called a corker by his convivial friends, when, as a matter of fact, he is mainly an uncorker.—Philadelphia Press.

"AND where's old Bill Johnson?" "He's here." "He was running for congress twelve years ago. What's he doing now?" "Still runnin'!"—Atlanta Constitution.

"I UNDERSTAND," said the Boston bivalve, "that oysters in Washington do active duty prior to September." "Yes," replied the crab. "Ignorant creatures! No doubt they imagine that the proper pronunciation is 'Jerly' and 'Orgust.'"—Washington Star.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

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TEMPERANCE WORK.

A Mass Meeting Which Filled the Calvary Baptist Church to Overflowing.

Interesting Addressess as to the Evils of the Liquor Traffic and Its Cost.

The temperance mass meeting called for last evening in Temperance hall, Pandora street, was a great success, the attendance being so numerous that the building proved altogether inadequate. At 8 o'clock, the hour named for opening proceedings, there was not room for a person to stand in the hall, and hundreds remained outside anxious to gain admission. Under these circumstances it at once became evident that more commodious quarters would be needed, and Rev. J. E. Coombes volunteered the use of the Calvary Baptist church. The offer was accepted, and a move was at once made for the edifice, but here again a like difficulty presented itself—space was at a premium. Seats were secured for the ladies, but the majority of the sterner sex present had to content themselves with standing room.

The popular pastor of the church, assisted by his elders, did all in his power to make everyone present comfortable, and succeeded admirably. An excellent choir rendered good music, and all having been accorded a hearty welcome, Rev. Mr. Coombes called upon Rev. Dr. Campbell as the first speaker of the evening. The reverend gentleman commenced by wishing his hearers the compliments of the season, and expressing his pleasure at seeing so large a gathering of those interested in the great cause of temperance. The ladies were always earnest workers for temperance, but it was a wholesome sign of the times to see so many gentlemen present. He spoke of his experiences in the Scott Act sections of Ontario, and declared that what was desirable here and everywhere, was to get up a wholesome sentiment in favor of prohibition. In Ontario temperance principles were instilled into the children attending the public schools, and he hoped to see a like principle adopted in British Columbia. The church, society, and the press were the great educators. It was to be regretted that there was so much drinking in Victoria—47 or 50 saloons to a population of 25,000 were too many. Speaking of the cost of the liquor traffic, the reverend gentleman said that in the British Isles, last year, there had been $750,000,000 spent on drink, while but $10,000,000 was spent on church missionary work throughout the world.

Rev. J. E. Coombes spoke in very strong terms against the liquor traffic, and expressed his desire to "go for the saloon devils." The meeting that night illustrated one thing — that a larger temperance hall was required in Victoria, as there was going to be a tremendous revival in temperance work. He declared that there was more whiskey drunk per capita in Victoria than in any city in the States.

Rev. Coverdale Watson also addressed the meeting, and regretted that there were so many homes in Victoria rendered unhappy by the drink fiend. He would rather have a serpent on his sideboard, he said, than a decanter of wine, and advised all to keep strong drink out of their houses. They should never rest with anything less than prohibition.

After several good selections from the choir, the meeting was brought to a close with prayer.

TELEGRAMS CONDENSED.

The C. P. R. land sales for the year 1892 were 392,033 acres, valued at $1,359,452.

Premier Taillon attended the Chambly nomination and outlined the government's policy.

Dr. McGlynn is likely to become Professor of Sacred Oratory in the University of Washington, D.C.

The nomination in Terrebonne, Mr. Chapleau's old constituency, takes place on January 10th, and the election on the 17th

Le Monde, of Montreal, says the Taillon Government intends introducing a law, proposed but afterwards withdrawn by Mr. Mercier, to prevent the same person holding a seat in the Legislative Council and the Senate at the same time.

After a long argument Saturday, Judge Tuck, of St. John, N.B., dissolved the injunction applied for last October by certain stockholders in Parks' cotton mills. The new issue of stock and transfer bonds by the company can now go on.

Lieut. Governor Chapleau arrived in Montreal Saturday and during the afternoon the oath of office was admistered to Hon. J. R. Hall, Provincial treasurer, by the clerk of the Executive Council in presence of His Honor, who has fully recovered his health and left for Quebec.

Intelligence has reached the commissioner of the Hudson's Bay Co. at Winnipeg, that the body of the late Mr. Frederick Stanley Simpson was recovered on October 10 last, close to the scene of the sad accident which resulted in his death and that of Chief Factor Belanger.

Mayor Fleming, of Toronto, has sworn out another information for criminal libel against W. F. McLean, M.P., proprietor of the Toronto World. The charge is based on the statement that an appointee of the City Solicitor's department had secured his position through having a "pull" with the Mayor.

In answer to R. K. Fox's offer of a trophy for the sculling championship of America, Hanlan says: "The chief oarsmen of the country will not listen to Mr. Fox until he comes out with hard coin and makes a straight cash offer of $5,000 or $10,000. He will have to deposit the amount in cash with another paper, and avoid every suspicion of a fake about the affair."

The mysterious death of thirteen convicts in the Little Rock, Ark., penitentiary was entirely due to some kind of contagious disease instead of poisoning, which was supposed until to-day, when a convict named George Long who was not in the Helena gangs was suddenly stricken down and died a few moments later in terrible agony. No report has been received from the prison physician, Robertson, who is at St. Louis having an analysis made of the viscera of two of the victims.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

HAIRPINS are heated to a temperature of 400 degrees in the process of manufacture.

IN a hospital for cats in Philadelphia over 18,000 felines were painlessly put to death last year.

ACCORDING to Thessalian legend the first horse was miraculously brought forth by Neptune striking a rock with his trident.

THE boundaries of Custer county, Mont., surround 36,000 square miles of territory, making that one county larger than the five states of Vermont, Massachusetts, Connecticut, Delaware and Rhode Island.

DR. NANSON, whose plan for seeking the North Pole is to jab into the drifting ice in a stout vessel, and resign himself to certain ocean currents, proposes to lay in a four years' supply of provisions when he finally embarks on this voyage.

FOUR thousand dollars in government bonds were found in a room of a Rochester (N. Y.) hotel wrapped in an old newspaper. The owner, who reclaimed them soon, said that he had been carrying them in his hip pocket and that they had dropped out.

TO FORM some idea of the largeness of the earth one may look upon the landscape from the top of an ordinary church steeple and then bear in mind that one must view 900,000 similar landscapes to get an approximately correct idea of the size of the earth.

FUN ON THE SIDE.

STALATE—"Well, I must be going; it's getting late." Ethel—"Better late than never."—N. Y. Herald.

IT is all right to wait till the clouds roll by if you are spending the time earning money to buy an umbrella.—Atchison Globe.

"A VERY remarkable thing has come out concerning Ellie's engagement." "What's that?" "Her betrothed is going to marry her."—Chicago News.

"SIMON! Simon! There are burglars in the house!" "That's all right, Mary. I made an assignment of everything today for the benefits of the creditors."

OBLIGING Country Butcher—"Let me cut it into cutlets for you, ma'am, leaving just enough bone for you to hold 'm by, while you're eating 'em!"—Drake's Magazine.

"HAVE you any choice as to where your picture shall be hung?" "No," replied the artist, "only that I'd feel on the safe side if you'd put it in a room with low ceilings."—Washington Star.

MIDLER—"I wonder why Jones wasn't appointed on the jury?" Muller—"He was rejected on the ground that he couldn't hear both sides." "How so?" "Why, he is deaf in one ear."—Tid-Bits.

AN HISTORICAL MEDLEY.

THE piano was invented by Christofali in the year 1711.

COVERED carriages were first used in England in the year 1580.

THE circular saw was invented by Bentham, an Englishman, in the year 1790.

MACHINES for making tacks were first made by Thomas Blanchard in the year 1806.

ELECTROTYPING of wood cuts and plates for printing was first employed in 1850.

HOLLAND claims the distinction of first having made bombshells in the year 1495.

IT was not until the council of Trent, in 1429, that the intervention of a priest was deemed, in Europe, indispensable to a marriage

A LAW was passed in England in 1750 to the effect that at parties "ladies must not get drunk on any pretext whatever, and gentlemen not before nine o'clock."

FOREIGN MISCELLANY.

BERLIN is having its doors numbered with luminous figures visible at night.

THE Swedish mile is 11,666 yards long and the Vienna post mile is 8,296 yards.

FRENCH-SPEAKING Canadians embrace 29.4 per cent. of the population of Canada.

ONLY citizens who are able to read and write have the power to vote in Bolivia and several other South American republics.

At the castle of Simonetta, in Italy, there is claimed to be an angle in the building which reechoes a pistol shot sixty-one times.

THE gold of traveling foreigners in Italy suffices to pay the ten millions a year due from that country to foreign holders of her securities, and it is estimated that Americans visiting Italy have spent, during the last ten years, $34,000,000.

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HERBERT CUTHBERT,
dec7 Auctioneer.

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—IN—

Russell, McDonald & Co's Regular Annual Drawing:

2859	2224	4027	4170
3193	594	2676	3813
1631	835	2089	1413
4014	4016	1335	310
2880	4219	473	1068
4613	264	4350	216
4175	1758	47	1589
2816	2844	854	1315
3114	2279	1404	3958
4214	1725	969	1084
1595	4450	639	2670
2019	4303	1638	561
3138	2936	3708	1161
274	2589	109	2340
1801	3799	1747	2542
4421	1297	1993	3069
3321	3954	3923	
1424	589	3059	
477	1303	3992	
1434	289	4352	

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ELECTION CARDS.

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE NORTH WARD

I intend to be a candidate for alderman at the coming municipal election, and respectfully solicit your vote and influence.

dec17 A. G. McCANDLESS.

To the Municipal Electors of North Ward.

I shall be a candidate for alderman at the coming election and solicit your support.

dec13 MUNROE MILLER.

To the Electors of North Ward.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—By request of numerous friends, I offer myself as a candidate for Alderman for the ensuing year, and solicit your votes and influence.

de25 THOMAS SHAW.

To the Electors of the North Ward.

It is my intention to be a candidate for Alderman at the forthcoming Municipal election, and solicit your vote and influence.

jan1-11t H. S. FAIRALL.

To the Electors of North Ward.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—At the earnest request of numerous electors I will again be a candidate for Alderman in the Municipal Council at the coming election. Trusting that my past services in the interest of the ward and city have been satisfactory, I respectfully solicit your votes and influence.

jan1 EDWARD BRAGG.

To the Electors of North Ward.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—At the request of numerous electors I again come before you as a candidate for Alderman in the Municipal Council in the coming election. If my past services in the interests of the ward and city have been satisfactory to you, I respectfully solicit your votes and influence.

jan1-11t (Signed) JAMES BAKER.

To the Electors of South Ward.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—Having my whole time to spare in attending to the duties of an Alderman, I beg to again announce myself as a Candidate for South Ward at the coming Municipal Election, and respectfully solicit your support and votes.

JOHN HALL.
Niagara Street, Dec. 22nd, 1892. dec23-tf

To the Electors of Victoria.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—By request of numerous friends, I offer myself as a candidate for School Trustee for the ensuing year, and solicit your votes and influence.

de24 GEORGE GLOVER.

To the Electors of Centre Ward.

I will be a candidate for election to the Municipal Council and respectfully solicit your votes and influence.

JOSEPH WRIGLESWORTH.
Yates Street, Dec. 30th, 1892. dec31

To the Electors of Central Ward.

At the request of many electors in our ward I have decided to become a candidate for Alderman for the coming election and earnestly solicit your support and influence.

HUGH MACDONALD.
December 31st, 1892. jan1-11t

THE MAYORALTY.

To the Municipal Electors of Victoria:

The term of office for which you elected me as Mayor being about to expire, and having the necessary time at my disposal, I have decided to be again a candidate, and respectfully solicit your support. I shall take an opportunity to explain in public my views upon civic affairs.

ROBERT BEAVEN.
December 29, 1892. de30

MEETINGS.

PUBLIC MEETING

The municipal electors are requested to meet at the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Tuesday, the 3rd of January, 1893, for the purpose of discussing civic affairs.

Chair to be taken at 8 o'clock p.m.

ROBERT BEAVEN.
December 31, 1892. ja1

THE NEXT
Tri-Annual Examination
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